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Pres. Wilson's Proposal Expected to End Coal Strike Tomorrow

WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT

Hope For Settlement of Controversy Between Miners, Operators and Government

Expect Pres. Wilson's Plan Will Be Accepted—Submitted to Head of Union

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—"Hope for the settlement tomorrow afternoon of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the government" was expressed in a formal statement issued today at the White House.

The statement follows:

"It is hoped that there will be a settlement on Tuesday afternoon of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the government through the acceptance by the miners of the plan for a definite settlement proposed by the president, which proposal was submitted to Acting President Lewis of the miners, by Attorney General Palmer, Saturday night."

The utmost secrecy still surrounded the president's proposal and Secretary Tumulty and other officials refused to supplement the White House statement. It was learned, however, that the proposal made to the miners was from the president himself and was in the form of a memorandum written by him.

In agreeing Saturday to urge upon the miner's representatives acceptance of the president's proposals, John L. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers of America, was said to have frankly informed Attorney General Palmer of the difficulties he was having in view of the feeling created among the miners by the injunction proceedings and the general attitude of the government.

Lewis was said to have expressed willingness to attempt to change this feeling if given assistance from responsible government officials in dealing with men.

SEN. NEWBERRY AND LEADERS IN COURT

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 8.—Truman H. Newberry, United States senator from Michigan and 17 of his principal campaign leaders, appeared in federal court here today to plead to indictments charging fraud and corruption in the senator's nomination and election in 1918.

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HUNDREDS OF TRAINS DROPPED

Curtailment of Service as Result of Coal Shortage in All Parts of Country

In New England Alone, Nearly 300 Trains Taken Off—Thousands Out of Work

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Hundreds of passenger trains were withdrawn from service on the railroads of the country today, mostly in the middle west south and southwest, in accordance with instructions issued last week by the railroad administration, and hundreds of other trains had been ordered annulled on Wednesday, chiefly in the east, as a result of the coal miners' strike.

300 Dropped in New England

In New England alone, orders were out cancelling nearly 300 trains on Wednesday, dozens are to be discontinued in Pennsylvania and even Canadian railroads have felt the coal shortage to such an extent that 35 additional passenger trains have been taken off, including the crack Transcontinental Limited of the Canadian Pacific. The reduction of passenger service in the United States since the strike began Nov. 1, amounts to approximately one-third of the total, and in Canada a saving of 321,000 train miles per month, has been effected.

Measures to conserve fuel supplies went ahead today in nearly every part of the country, despite the meeting at Indianapolis tomorrow of Atty. Gen. Palmer and other officials of the department of justice with the heads of the United Mine Workers of America, in an effort to bring about a settlement of the strike.

Will Be Settled Tomorrow

Many hundred thousand workers went idle today on account of closing of non-essential industries from which coal has been withheld by regional committees and the curtailment of business hours in many cities.

Gov. Cox of Ohio called off the conference of operators and miners today at Columbus, which has attempted to settle the strike in that state. He said the indications were that the controversy "would be settled Tuesday on a nation-wide basis."

Further shipments of coal mined by volunteers in Kansas and Missouri, under protection of troops, were made today to points in those states where the shortage was most acute.

More Volunteers at Work

Digging of coal by volunteers also was expected to begin today in Oklahoma.

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ALLIES YIELD MODIFY TERMS

House Consented To Make Changes in Protocol Putting Treaty Into Effect

Clause Providing For Indemnity For Destruction of German Fleet Modified

PARIS, Dec. 8.—The allies have consented to modify some of the terms of the protocol putting the peace treaty into effect to which Germany has made objection.

The clause providing for indemnity for the destruction of the German fleet at Scapa Flow has been modified so as to refer to The Hague tribunal the question whether the delivery of the tonnage demanded will cripple Germany, it is understood.

The understanding also is that the other features of the protocol most objectionable to the Germans have been eliminated, and the expectation here is that the German plenipotentiaries will sign the protocol without much further delay.

The final paragraph of the protocol, providing that even after the peace treaty has gone into effect the allies might use military measures of coercion to ensure the execution of the treaty's terms has been eliminated entirely, as also has the clause relating to the evacuation of the Baltic provinces by German troops.

The implication of responsibility to Germany for the sinking of the Scapa Flow fleet is left in the protocol.

According to the best information obtainable the note to the German plenipotentiaries regarding the signature of the protocol, setting forth the allies' position as indicated would be handed to Baron von Lersner, head of the German delegation.

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MR. HARRIS TAKES UP HIS NEW DUTIES

Henry R. Harris, who was elected headmaster of the Lowell high school at last Tuesday's meeting of the school board, to succeed Herbert D. Bixby, resigned, took up his new duties this morning. He was accompanied by Frederick R. Woodward, who has been acting headmaster, in his tour of the various class rooms in the school and Mr. Woodward also assisted him in various other ways in getting started on his new work.

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Pawtucketville Square 8.20
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Bridge and Second Sts. 8.40
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THE DAY'S NEWS FROM CITY HALL

Work Being Pushed on Addition to the Morey Grammar School

Second School Term of the Year Opened Today—Lowell Tax Books

Not a minute is being wasted in proceeding with the erection of the addition to the Morey grammar school in the Highlands, according to Commissioner George E. Marchand of the public property department. The first story of the building will be completed before the end of the present week, according to the commissioner, and work on the other two stories will be pushed along without a let-up.

At the present time there are about 40 men working on the building, the commissioner says, and from present indications they will work right through the winter months. Mr. Marchand hopes to have the addition finished, equipped and ready for occupancy when the new school year begins next September.

New School Term

The public school children have completed one term of their 1919-20 school year and this morning they entered on the second eight-week term. The second term will continue until March 22, when the third starts. The Christmas vacation this year will begin Dec. 22 and the schools will reopen Dec. 29.

A Slippery Morning

Lowell experienced her first slippery morning of the present season today and those who are accustomed to go to work early had a fairly precarious time of it on the ice-coated sidewalks and streets. Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy and Supt. John R. Blessington of the street department were on the job bright and early ready to get the sanding gangs out, but it was impossible to accomplish much owing to the inability of the department's horses to make any headway. Finally the big truck used by the department was brought into play and the down-town streets and bridges sanded. By 9 o'clock the sun was sufficiently strong to put the slippery surfaces out of condition.

An Anonymous Donor

The statue of Cardinal O'Connell in Cardinal O'Connell parkway opposite city hall was adorned this morning with a large green wreath, presumably in honor of the cardinal's 60th birthday. Supt. John W. Kernan of the park department said that he had no knowledge of who the voluntary decorator was and that the same thing had occurred a year ago this time.

Tax Books for Christmas

The assessors have sent the materials for the tax list to the printers, but it looks now as though the books would not be ready much before Christmas owing to the pressure of work being brought upon the printers who are getting out the books.

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WILL THE PARTY who found a little girl's hat left on the Lowell-Reading car at Merrimack square on Monday, 9:45 a. m. call 5513-W, or at 60 Tenth St. Reward.

Fall Resolution Dropped at the Request of Pres. Wilson

No Decision on War-time Prohibition

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—No decision on the constitutionality of the war-time prohibition and the Volstead enforcement act was rendered today by the supreme court, and there was no indication when a decision would be handed down.

Arguments on the constitutionality of the acts were advanced by the court at the request of the government and decision had been expected generally when the court reconvened today after a recess of two weeks.

As Monday is the regular opinion day of the court, a decision is not to be expected before next Monday, if then.

The cases on which the constitutionality of the war-time act was attacked were from Kentucky and New York, while that on which the validity of the enforcement act was contested reached the supreme court from New York.

IN THE POLICE COURT

Annual City Election

Young Man Charged With

Larceny of Narcotics—Alleged Pickpockets Held

Charged with breaking into the drug store of Harry R. Campbell, at Lawrence and Agawam streets Saturday night and stealing morphine, heroin and other narcotics valued at approximately \$20, Louis Landry, 26, of this city pleaded not guilty in police court today and was held in \$500 for hearing Dec. 15.

Landry was arrested yesterday afternoon at his home by Lieut. Maher, Inspector Walsh and Sgt. Dwyer. The police allege that a hypodermic syringe was found under the pillow of his bed, also a quantity of morphine.

The young man visited Campbell's store Saturday afternoon, according to the police, and securing the key to an empty store adjoining it on a pool room there and wished to look the place over.

When he returned the key, the police say, he left the door to the adjoining room unlocked. That night he came to the adjoining store, made his way into the cellar, broke down a small wooden partition which separated the two cellars and appropriated the drugs.

Auto Larceny Alleged

Accused of stealing a Ford touring car, the property of George S. Gracie of Billerica, on the night of November 30, Royce A. Smith and Claude Davis, two soldiers were arraigned on continuance and a further continuance granted until Dec. 18. Both have pleaded not guilty and are held in \$500 each.

The police allege that the car was stolen from Brookings street, early in the evening, where it had been parked by a friend of Gracie's who had borrowed the machine that night.

A Worcester police officer testified at this morning's session that he had arrested the two doughboys early the following Sunday morning in Worcester. One of the pair had said that the car belonged to his uncle, the officer testified.

Abraham Levy and Louis Gozzolo, Continued to Page Seven

URGED BREAK WITH MEXICO

President Outlines His Reasons For Opposition in Letter to Sen. Fall

Direction of Foreign Affairs Rests With President—Let It Stay There, Says Lodge

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—President Wilson would be "gravely concerned to see any such resolution pass the congress," he wrote Senator Fall today in referring to the fall resolution requesting the president to sever diplomatic relations with the Carranza government.

"It would constitute a reversal of our constitutional practice which might lead to very grave confusion in regard to the guidance of our foreign affairs," he wrote.

The president expressed confidence that he had the support of every competent constitutional authority in the statement that the direction of the government's foreign affairs was assigned by the constitution to the chief executive and to him alone.

When the president's letter was received, Senator Lodge, chairman of the foreign relations committee, called Senator Fall and Senator Brandegee, republican, Connecticut, of the committee, into conference and in a few minutes announced that no further action on the Mexico situation would be taken by the committee.

"We wanted to help," Senator Lodge said, "but now the entire Mexican situation goes to the president. The responsibility is upon his shoulders. Let it rest there."

It was expected Senator Fall would make public during the day the evidence upon which he based his resolution requesting the severance of diplomatic relations.

SANTA CLAUS BUREAU AT GIRLS' SERVICE CLUB

The Santa Claus bureau at the Girls' Community Service club has classified and on file ready for investigation, 96 letters, written to Santa Claus by Lowell boys and girls, asking not to be forgotten this year when this mysterious man of the north, so dear to the heart of a child, reaches this city on his yearly pilgrimage around the earth.

The Santa Claus bureau fund today totals \$60.34, on deposit at the Appleton National bank, with George E. King, bank president and treasurer of Lowell Community service. Itemized, the fund stands as follows:

From Thanksgiving fund.....\$ 8.00
Proceeds box social..... 47.70
Penny box collections..... 3.39
Employees Hamilton cloth room..... 1.25

Total.....\$60.34

Assurances of contributions, both of money and gifts, have been received almost hourly at the club headquarters in the Runels building during the past four days and it is expected that the bureau fund will go well above \$100 in a day or two. A number of local store managers, at Chalfoux's, Prince's, Kresge's and elsewhere have shown an earnest desire to co-operate and several already have offered toys and other things at a big discount, while others have promised outright gifts.

Meanwhile, however, it is imperative that the number of letters being received does not far outstrip the amount of money and gifts being contributed. As was foreseen before the bureau was established, the plan is meeting with widespread interest and during the coming fortnight the club girls literally will be swamped with letters.

The call for volunteer Santa Clauses still goes out. The opportunity is here for real community service—a chance to bring Christmas joy into hundreds of Lowell homes and into the lives of children who live in circumstances not so fortunate as your own.

At a meeting of the Community Service club girls yesterday all letters received to date were classified according to city districts and four girls were assigned to each district as investigators. They will meet tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock and receive instructions as to the best way to accomplish their work.

JUDGE JUMPS TO DEATH

Had Been Investigating Facts Concerning Murder of Count Tisza

BUDAPEST, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Kovacs, the judge who has been investigating the facts concerning the murder of Count Tisza, the former Hungarian premier, committed suicide today by jumping from the third floor window of the court house.

Judge Kovacs had been accused by the extreme socialists of suppressing evidence to show that former Premier Friedrichs had knowledge that the murder of Count Tisza was intended.

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FUNERAL YESTERDAY OF D. FRANK SMALL

Hundreds of people from every walk of life paid full tribute to the memory of a true friend yesterday afternoon, when funeral services for D. Frank Small were held at the Congregational church in North Chelmsford. The village church was far too small to accommodate all who wished to attend and therefore the church was open from 1 until 2 o'clock to allow those who wished, to pass the casket. The service was conducted at the latter hour by the pastor of the church, Rev. Ambrose E. Jenkins, and at that time every pew space was occupied, with many others standing. The Mendelssohn male quartet sang "Lead, Kindly



D. FRANK SMALL

Light," "One by One," and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," with Mrs. Arthur H. Slater as organist. Delegations were present from William North lodge, A. F. and A. M., and Mount Heron Royal Arch chapter, Ahassens council, Pilgrim Commandery, Massachusetts consistory, 32nd degree Masons, S. H. Hines lodge of Odd Fellows and the Knights of Pythias. The ushers were Messrs. Joseph Stone, William Welch, Edward Hoyle and Clarence Leavitt. The Chelmsford town officers, 40 in number, with whom Mr. Small had labored for a dozen years, attended in a body.

Huge quantities of flowers were massed in front of the church pulpit, while a blanket of white roses covered the casket. Also on the casket were placed Mr. Small's Masonic sword, his apron and Pilgrim Commandery headgear. Mr. James S. Turner and Mr. Geo. C. Moore, Jr., stood as a guard of honor at either end of the casket. The bearers were Messrs. H. Stanley Crysler, Walter Chase, Mark Ingham, Walter L. Muzzey, James P. Dunnigan and Fred L. Knapp.

Hundreds surrounded the grave in Riverside cemetery, where the Masonic ritual service was exemplified by the following members of William North lodge: W. M. Herbert L. Trull, S. W.

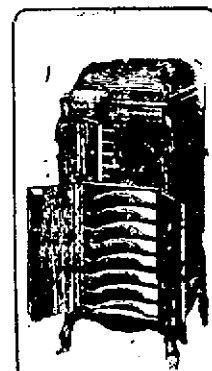
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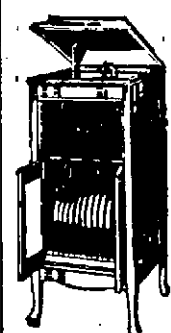
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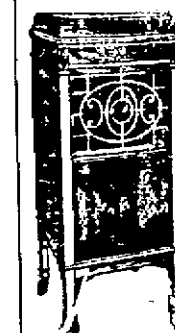
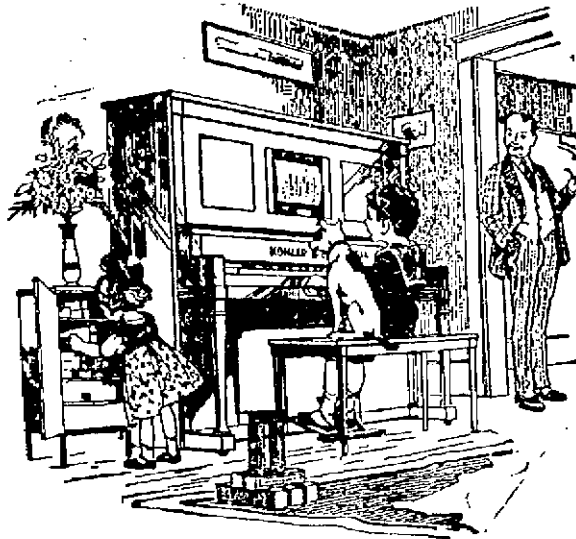


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Say Wounded Soldiers Improperly Fed

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Charges that wounded soldiers in the army hospital at Fort Sheridan are being improperly fed, were made in a telegram sent by Congressman Royal C. Johnson of South Dakota, to Secretary of War Baker, made public today, demanding an immediate investigation. Congressman Johnson visited the hospital yesterday, he said, and asserted that patients were fed under conditions "worse than any in France."

Continue War Guilt Investigation

BERLIN, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Rumors abroad that the committees investigating the war guilt of German leaders in 1914, have discontinued their meetings are entirely wrong, according to a semi-official parliamentary political news agency which issued a statement here today.

"On the contrary," the statement says, "it is intended to conduct the investigations with every energy to a conclusion."

FRIENDS OF IRISH FREEDOM MEETING

Members of the Padraic H. Pearse branch of the Friends of Irish freedom met last evening in Hibernian hall to ballot upon more than 100 applications for membership, the result of the big membership drive recently held in this city. It was voted to continue the drive this month so that a large report may be turned into the national headquarters at the beginning of the year.

The following officers who have served this year were unanimously re-elected to serve another year: President, Patrick J. Mahoney; vice president, John Gookin; recording secretary, John Barrett; financial secretary and treasurer, John P. Sheehan; orator and director of organization, James O'Sullivan and Michael and Michael Noonan; instills guard, John O'Sullivan; director of publicity, Michael F. Quinn, and trustees, Matthew James, Michael J. Monahan and Thomas Daly. Among the routine matters discussed were the drawing contest to be

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Sir Edwin Pears Dead

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Announcement is made of the death of Sir Edwin Pears at Malta, on November 27.

Sir Edwin Pears, lawyer, editor and author, was responsible for revelations of Moslem atrocities in Bulgaria which led the late E. W. Gladstone, then British premier, to lead popular demonstrations against Turkish rule in Europe. These revelations were made by Sir Edwin while he was correspondent at Constantinople for the London Daily News. Sir Edwin Pears was born in York in 1835, and was graduated from London university with highest honors in Roman law and jurisprudence. He settled in Constantinople in 1873, practicing in consular courts and becoming president of the European bar in that city in 1881. His later years were occupied with writing on Turkish history during the last 50 years.

Scaffold Collapsed—2 Killed, 28 Injured

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 8.—Two workmen were killed and 28 others injured, 10 seriously, today, when a scaffolding at the Dayway refinery of the Standard Oil company, near here, collapsed and fell 25 feet. The men were engaged in constructing an oil still.

Greek Troops Hold Zone of Occupation

SALONIKI, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Greek troops in Asia Minor have advanced to the line fixed by the peace conference, according to an official statement issued at army headquarters here. The zone of occupation fixed by the Greeks has thus been completely occupied.

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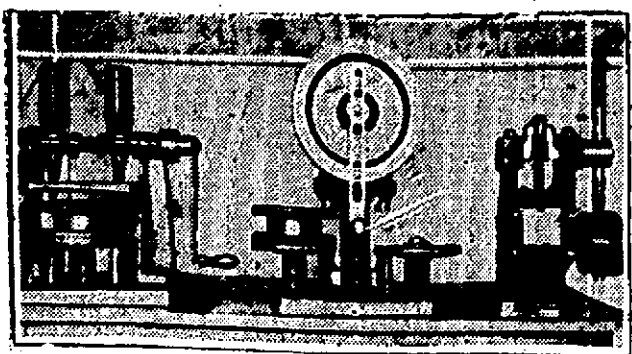
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A shell-reloading outfit, a three-in-one contrivance, has been developed by the ordnance department, practical and foolproof, being the virtues claimed for the invention.

Reloading ball cartridges at the rate of from 2500 to 3000 an hour, the outfit having remarkable accuracy for 200 yards, the device has been adopted by the United States army.

The complete equipment consists of three machines—decapper and resizer, primer and bullet-sealer and the powder charger—together with six steel drums of skeleton construction, each drum accommodating 50 cartridge cases.

The decapper and resizer, the first unit in this threefold mechanism consists of a frame in which a steel block works vertically up and down, controlled by a crank handle equipped with an adjustable counter-weight.

Two resizing dies are situated in the steel block, directly below the block being two slots for placing the shells. The priming and bullet-sealing machine is composed of a central frame, operating by means of a fly wheel equipped with a handle, a double set of punches on both sides, each of which works above a drum spindle. The two sides of the machines are identical, mechanically, except the index plate which controls the rotation of the drum, and in the size of the punches, one being designed for bullet seating, while the other is for seating primers.

The powder charger consists of two upright arms, supporting a shaft equipped with a bearing permitting one-half turn up and one-half turn down. The shaft operates horizontally

through two powder containers. In the shaft are milled two slots which, by means of a slide, held in place by a collar and set screw can be made larger or smaller. The slots milled in the shaft measure the charges. Below the spouts of the powder containers is a drum spindle. This spindle works on a pawl and is equipped with an automatic locking device.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

H. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

"On the High Seas," the very last word in stage realism, will be the big headline at the H. F. Keith theatre this week, beginning today, and all lovers of tense situations, played faultlessly, and of realistic effects of the very highest grade, will greatly enjoy this presentation. It is in four mammoth scenes, each going the preceding one a little better in the matter of strength, until the final big scene occurs, in this, battleships, sea-cruisers, destroyers and other vessels are seen steaming straight towards the audience. And, what is more, the biggest boat of the lot, to all intents and purposes, comes right to the footlights. It is a most thrilling scene, one which never fails to bring thunderous applause, even though the audience is for a few seconds after the top of the curtain, stunned with the bare realism of it all.

A few seasons ago Langdon McCormick presented "Forest Fires" here. That was the real piece of realism this city had ever known, and audiences could hardly believe that such stupendous could be put on the stage. "On the High Seas" is, however, a distant advance over the previous efforts. It is the best thing ever put on the stage, the first scene is in the wireless room of the Centurion, where the C.Q.D. is flashed. The second is in mid-ocean, and the third is aboard a United States

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cruiser, where the distress signal is picked up and orders are given to the fleet to go to the rescue. The fourth, and last, scene is the big finale, showing the monster dreadnaughts going at top speed, the cruisers and the destroyers on either side, literally cutting their way through the water. Their arrival at the scene, the necessity for going into action and everybody "standing to" during the engagement—these are things which are admirably shown. This scene is said to be the most thrilling one ever put on the stage, but it also gives a truer picture of a fleet in action than any other presentation, except the actual on the legitimate or the vaudeville stage.

There is a big cast of 12 persons concerned in the presentation of this act, although Isabel Rea and James Phillips are the leading performers. Both have had much experience in big melodramas. They literally play with a full head of steam on all of the time. They work up splendidly for various scenes in which they appear. The electrical and other effects of the act are all peculiar to this act alone. Nothing quite like them can be found elsewhere.

The surrounding bill is most satisfactory, quite up to the standard of the usual Keith show. Fred Weston and Sammy McCoy are the featured comedians, giving "Passed by the Board of Censors" and "Lester Crawford and Helen Broderick have a specially interesting little bit. Lucy Bruch is a violin virtuoso of note, and the Four Nelsons are hoop experts. Rea and Phillips will give a musical turn. Kingpins, Topics of the Day and a Bruce Secord will be the other good points on this bill.

OPERA HOUSE

"The Little Millionaire," George M. Cohan's big singing success, which is to be the new attraction at the Opera House this week, gives every indication of scoring one of the real hits of the season. It's the first attempt at musical comedy that this company has attempted and the large number of patrons are anxiously waiting to see the members in this line of entertainment. John McEwan, the leading man, will be heard in the song number, "Barium Had the Right Idea," and Miss Marguerite Fields will sing one of the new songs, "Howdy Howard." The new light comedian of the company, will be introduced in the song number, "Oh, You Wonderful Girl." Scott and William Melville will have a little specialty called "We Do the Dirty Work." Helen Freburn will appear as "The Vampire," and when we pass along the word that Miss Freburn can give an interpretation of the stage vamp to perfection.

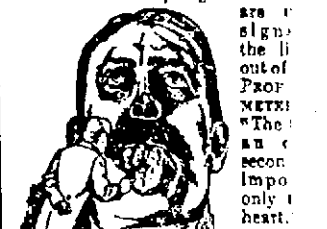
"The Little Millionaire" has all of the assets to make it a marked success, and judging from the rehearsals of the past week, it will unquestionably score heavily. Director Kiehl has given special efforts to the production and has promised something startlingly new and novel. That should be sufficient to satisfy the patrons of the city and vicinity that the offering will be most acceptable. Elaborate stage settings, a full cast, including additional talent from out-of-town, and striking wardrobe promises to contribute to the production. A big advance sale at this time indicates a new record attendance. If you are particular about getting the best locations then it's advisable to make your reservations at once. Tel. 36, and have your favorite seats reserved for you. Better still have your name placed on the subscription list. It costs no more and gives entire satisfaction. Try it once and be satisfied.

THE STRAND

Pauline Frederick, the Goldwyn star, in her latest film presentation, "Blonde of Love," will be the big feature on the bill at The Strand for the first three days of the week. This is a prewarrior film offering, and in that sense a real message with it that can't help "going over." "Speedy Meade," featuring Louis Armstrong, is to be the other feature number, and this too is easily rated

A Coated Tongue: What it Means

A bad breath, coated tongue, made in the mouth, languor and dizziness.



as deadly as a snake's venom. The liver acts as a guard over well-being, sitting on the rim of ashes from the general circulation.

A blockade in the intestines a heavy burden upon the liver the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned and the system becomes loaded with toxic waste and we suffer from headache, low-coated tongue, bad taste, mouth, nausea, or gas, acid, perspiration, languor, debility, yellow skin or eyes. At such times one should take castor oil or a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of May apple, leaves of aloe and jalap, put into ready-to-use form by Doctor Pierce, nearly fifty years ago, and sold for 25 cents by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

FOR MAYOR

JOHN J.

GILBRIDE

CONSTRUCTIVE AND NON-PARTISAN ISSUES SHOULD DECIDE THE ELECTION OF MAYOR, NEXT TUESDAY

TO MY FELLOW CITIZENS OF LOWELL:—

I have endeavored to conduct a clean, above-board and forceful campaign against my opponent, actuated only by the high motive that this honorable office should go to the candidate who can convince his friends and fellow citizens that his platform represents their desires and interests.

The issues I have addressed to you on the public platform have been constructive and non-partisan. My campaign has not been managed by crafty and artful politicians, nor have my advertisements been as plausible as my opponent's. Camouflage and cunning have played no part in this campaign with me.

I have tried to be absolutely honest and fair in the issues I have raised. I take this opportunity of thanking you for the courtesy you have shown me during my campaign. If elected mayor I will certainly not forget that I am representative of all the people, and never will I allow myself to be entangled by the men who at present control city hall and whose grasping power surrounds your public services.

May I summarize today, for your benefit, the big issues which I believe are close to all your hearts at this time:—

THE TAXRATE

Under the present mayor the taxrate has jumped to the highest figure in the state. I charge that this is due to lack of proper budget planning and to mismanagement in the various city departments; to wasteful extravagance during the war period when other cities were carefully looking after their finances. I promise that my whole effort will be to change the system which has increased your taxes in many cases almost 100 per cent.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH

I am informed that an officer of the state board of health is to be sent to Lowell within a few days to investigate the baby death rate here, the highest in the country. If elected mayor I shall try to discover what the Lowell Board of Health has done in this matter, and shall favor an appropriation which will enable this department to make a real investigation of the situation.

HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS

The public is well aware of the fact that heads of departments, in order to hold their jobs for life, have banded together into a strong political machine. This machine is now openly with Mayor Thompson, who heads it. I shall require these officials to give all of their time to their various duties, and shall recommend the removal of all who have not honestly served you during the past few months.

CIVIL SERVICE CASES

Many cases have been reported to the American Legion of service men who have not been promoted, although they headed the civil service lists at city hall. Others have not received the jobs they held before they went to war. I shall give fair treatment to the men who have served their country, and to those who have worked themselves to the top of these preference lists.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

I am in favor of a fair and impartial administration of the police department. For months several regular police routes in the residential sections of the city have been left open by the present mayor. I believe in giving the people of Lowell the protection they pay for. I believe in appointing police officers in order, without jumping over the heads of men who are on the civil service list. I shall hold the superintendent of police accountable for the discipline and a just enforcement of the laws. I shall favor the \$5 wage for all members of the force, who at present are not receiving a living wage.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

I will recommend to the municipal council the putting into effect of the double platoon system, which was recently passed by the voters of Lowell, at the earliest possible moment, so that every section shall have proper fire protection and every firehouse shall have adequate apparatus. I refer in particular to the Westford street firehouse, which for months has been so poorly equipped that this popular section has been without horses to draw the chemical. I shall favor the \$5 wage for members of the fire department, making it uniform with that of the police department.

CITY EMPLOYEES

I shall recommend it as the policy of the municipal council to arrange the work in all departments so that regular employees, who are the support of families, shall have work twelve months in the year, and will endeavor to remove the causes which lead to shutting down departments at the end of the year, throwing these hard working men out of work during the winter, when they need their weekly wages the most.

THE STREET DEPARTMENT

I shall recommend it as the policy of the municipal council that besides the regular paving work mapped out for the next two years there be trained details of men who will be continually at work repairing the holes which now ruin most of the streets in the residential sections of the city. These details will not only keep the streets in good temporary condition, but they will save the city an amount of money that cannot be estimated.

CHARITY DEPARTMENT

Now that the cold weather makes it impossible for the men at the city hospital to get proper exercise out doors, and as there have been complaints about the unsanitary basement in which they spend most of their time as a smoke room, I shall make it my duty, as head of that department, to give these citizens something brighter and cleaner in the way of recreation quarters, which is the least the city can do for the men who, through age or misfortune, are now brought under our care.

ELECTION OF OFFICIALS

I am absolutely opposed to secret elections of public officials in cases where heads of departments resign, and as mayor of Lowell I will not hide from the people who elected me any of the matters which should be the public property of all of us. My vote and my voice will be on the side of open meetings and the public discussion of all the city's affairs, something which has seldom been done under the present charter.

THE MAYOR'S OFFICE

If I am elected mayor my office at city hall will be open at all times to every citizen of Lowell. I will have regular office hours during my entire term of office, and will be glad to take up with our people the many matters which are of personal interest to them.

Men seeking the ear of the mayor of Lowell will not have to go through any red tape or official family before reaching me.

MY OPPONENT, MAYOR THOMPSON, ENTERED CITY HALL WITH NO PLATFORM.

HE DID NOT APPEAR BEFORE YOU AT ANY TIME IN HIS CAMPAIGN TWO YEARS AGO, BECAUSE IT WAS HIS OPEN BOAST THAT BECAUSE HE WAS FACING A FRENCH CANDIDATE HE WOULD NOT HAVE TO MAKE AN ACTIVE CAMPAIGN.

I AM MAKING NO SUCH PARTISAN APPEAL TO YOU TODAY.

I WANT YOU TO ELECT ME ON THE CONSTRUCTIVE ISSUES TO WHICH I HAVE HERE AFFIXED MY SIGNATURE, AND TO WHICH I HEREWITH SUBSCRIBE.

YOUR VOTE FOR ME NEXT TUESDAY WILL MEAN A NEW DEAL FOR YOU AT CITY HALL DURING THE COMING YEAR.

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among the meritorious screen products of recent days. It has all of the vim and vigor of a Benetton picture. The usual comedy and weekly will also be shown.

The coming of Miss Alice Brady, the Reelart picture star, at this theatre on Friday afternoon, next, is being looked forward to by the patrons as the biggest event of the theatrical season.

MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of Miss Carol Heath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Heath of this city, to Mr. Jared James Mowry of Norwich, Conn., occurred Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at the First Congregational church, Rev. Chauncey J. Hawkins, D.D., pastor, performed the ceremony before several hundred relatives and friends. The church was charmingly decorated in a color scheme of yellow, turquoise blue and white.

the pupil platform being banked with palms, while below was a beautiful arch of yellow chrysanthemums.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Paul B. Chandler of Lowell as matron of honor, and by two bridesmaids, Miss Frances Green of Lynn and Miss Esther Butler of Lawrence. There were eight flower maidens, dressed in white, with hats of white tulle and yellow ribbon and they carried baskets filled with yellow pom-pom chrysanthemums. The Misses Helen Barnard of Utica, N. Y.; Frances Dixon of Utica, Elizabeth Hayes of Niagara Falls, Faith Harrington of Providence, R. I.; Helen Oberhaus of Albany, Lois Niles of Utica, Helen Robinson of New Rochelle and Isabelle Van Dorn of Cleveland, Ohio. The best man was Mr. Percy Raymond Mowry, brother of the bridegroom. The ushers were Mr.

Paul B. Chandler of Lowell, Mr. Robert B. Bigelow of Marlboro, Mr. Frank S. Hunt of Peabody and Mr. Andreas Tomafords of Boston.

The bride wore an exquisite gown of dochees satin embroidered with pearls and a veil of embroidered tulle with coronet of pearls. Her bouquet was of orchids and lilies of the valley. The matron of honor wore cloth of gold and turquoise blue brocade with a hat of cloth of gold and turquoise beads. She carried Aaron Ward roses. The bridesmaids wore attire of cloth of gold and turquoise blue tulle, steel teeth.

with hats of the same and they carried bouquets of single yellow chrysanthemums tied with blue tulle.

The church organist, Miss Ella L. Gale, played the precessional and recessional marches. Mr. and Mrs. Mowry left later in the evening on their wedding trip, after which they will live at Hastings-on-the-Hudson.

In a new comb for drying the hair a rubber bulb forces air heated by electric means of the bridesmaids were attracted to the handle through perforations of gold and turquoise blue tulle, steel teeth.

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Theodore Roosevelt's Letters to His Children

Edited by Joseph Bucklin Bishop

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COL. THEO. ROOSEVELT

As this letter was written, a hot fight was on in congress over the promotion of Leonard Wood to the rank of major general. Wood, who was President Roosevelt's superior officer in the Cuban campaign, was vigorously assailed by his enemies and the proffered shown him by the administration was condemned. Army red tape had been ripped into shreds. The president confides in Ted, destined to serve brilliantly as an officer when the time came, his opinion of some of the old-timers in the army.—The Editor.

Merits of Military and Civil Life

White House, Jan. 21, 1904.
Dear Ted: This will be a long business letter. I sent to you the examination papers for West Point and Annapolis. I have thought a great deal over the matter, and discussed it at great length with mother. I feel on the one hand that I ought to give you my best advice, and yet on the other hand I do not wish to seem to constrain you against your wishes. If you have definitely made up your mind that you have an overmastering desire to be in the navy or the army, and that such a career is the one in which you will take a really heartfelt interest—far more so than any other—and that your greatest chance for happiness and usefulness will lie in doing this one work to which you feel yourself especially drawn—why, under such circumstances, I have but little to say. But I am not satisfied that this is really your feeling. It seemed to me more as if you did not feel drawn in any one direction, and wondered what you were going to do in life or what kind of work you would turn your hand to, and wondered if you could make a success or not; and that you are therefore inclined to turn to the navy or army chiefly because you would then have a definite and settled career in life, and could hope to go on steadily without any great risk or failure. Now, if such is your thought, I shall quote to you what Captain Mahan said of his son when asked why he did not send him to West Point or Annapolis: "I have too much confidence in him to make me feel that it is desirable for him to enter either branch of the service."

I have great confidence in you. I believe you have the ability, and, above all, the energy, the perseverance, and the common sense, to win out in civil life. That you will have some hard times and some discouraging times I

Col. Ted about to call on Premier Clemenceau in Paris. His father advised Ted, as a boy, not to become a professional soldier. He had faith in his ability to serve with distinction if the need arose.

have no question; but this is merely another way of saying that you will share the common lot. Though you will have to work in different ways from those in which I worked, you will not have to work any harder, nor to face periods of more discouragement.

I trust, in your ability, and especially your character, and I am confident you will win.

In the army and the navy the chance for a man to show great ability and rise above his fellows does not occur on the average more than once in a generation. When I was down at Santiago it was melancholy for me to see how fossilized and lacking in ambition, and generally useless, were most of the men of my age and over, who had served their lives in the army. The navy for the last few years has been better, but for 20 years after the Civil war there was less chance in the navy than in the army to practice, and do, work of real consequence. I have actually known lieutenants in both the army and the navy who were grandfathers—men who had seen their children married before they themselves attained the grade of captain. Of course the chance may come at any time when the man of West Point or Annapolis, who will have stayed in the army or navy finds a great war on, and therefore has the opportunity to rise high. Under such circumstances, I think the man of such training, who has actually left the army or the navy has even more chance of rising than the man who has remained in it. Moreover, often a man can do as I did in the Spanish war, even though not a West Pointer.

This last point raised the question about you going to West Point or Annapolis and leaving the army or navy after you have served the regulation four years (I think that is the number) after graduation from the academy. Under this plan you would have an excellent education and a grounding in discipline and, in some ways, a testing of your capacity greater than I think you can get in any ordinary college. On the other hand, except for the profession of an engineer, you would have had nothing like special training, and you would be so ordered about, and arranged for, that you would have less independence of character than you could gain from them. You would have had fewer temptations; but you would have had less chance to develop the qualities which overcome temptations and show that man has individual initiative. Supposing you entered at 17, with the intention of following this course. The result would be that at 25 you would leave the army or navy without having gone through any law school or any special technical school

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton.

WHAT THE BROWNIES DID.
Nancy and Nick asked the flowers and the trees, the grass and animals and birds about Jocko, but although some were sure they had seen his red coat and others thought they had seen his long tail, nobody was sure they had seen him all, or which way he had gone. So the twins wandered on and finally they came to a very queer place in the woods where there



"Some brownies gave a swimming party one moonlight night last week," were some big stones and a lot of dried up mud.
"It looks," said Nick, sitting down on one of the stones, "something like a creek. Only it isn't a creek. There's no water."
And then suddenly the stone began to talk. "There was water here once," it said sadly. "I was right in the middle of the loveliest little brook you ever saw. And the minnows hid under me, and the crabs, too, and once even a big turtle adopted me for his home."
"What happened then?" cried Nancy curiously.

of any kind, and would start your life-work three or four years later than your schoolfellows of today, who go to work immediately after leaving college. Of course, under such circumstances, you might study law, for instance, during the four years after graduation; but my own feeling is that a man does good work chiefly when he is in something which he intends to make his permanent work, and in which he is deeply interested. Moreover, there will always be the chance that the number of officers in the army or navy will be deficient, and that you would have to stay in the service instead of getting out when you wished.

I want you to think over all these matters very seriously. It would be a great misfortune for you to start into the army or navy as a career, and find that you had mistaken your desires and had gone in without really weighing the matter.

You ought not to enter unless you feel genuinely drawn to the life as a life work. If so, go in; but not otherwise.

Mr. Loeb told me today that at 17 he had tried for the army, but failed. The competitor who beat him is now a captain; Mr. Loeb has passed him by, although meanwhile a war has been fought. Mr. Loeb says he wished to enter the army because he did not know what to do, could not foresee whether he would succeed or fail in life, and felt the army would give him "a living and a career." Now is this at bottom your feeling I should advise you not to go in; I should say yes to some boys, but not to you; I believe in you too much, and have too much confidence in you.

(To Be Continued)
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REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending Dec. 6, 1919.
Nov.—
26 Joseph Carruthers, 61, septicaemia.
William Liddle, 67, cer. hemorrhage.
Margaret J. Sherry, 48, heart disease.
27 Lucy A. O'Donnell, 62, arterial sclerosis.
Francis Lassalle, 43, carcinoma.
28 Joao Santos, 2, lob. pneumonia.
Richard D. Green, 12, d. congenital debility.
Paul Stoklass, 2, d. atelectasis.
Henry April, 21, comp. fract. of skull.
Frank Gill, 54, mit. insufficiency.
Andrew J. Burns, 52, empyema of pleura.
29 Carolina Erickson, 63, diabetes.
Patrick D. Gibbons, 57, atrophy of liver.
Dec.—
1 Stanislas Moran, 21, d. ac. bronchitis.
James L. Brown, 72, chr. par. nephritis.
Theresa B. Donaghy, 75, arterio-sclerosis.
Howard C. Moore, 61, valv. heart disease.
Caroline Callary, 50, lob. pneumonia.
2 Romeo St. Amant, 32, mediastinal sarcoma.
Katarzyna Bahrowicz, 44, intestinal obstruction.
William Stronach, 5 m. broncho-pneumonia.
Margaret Walsh, 60, chr. valv. heart disease.
3 Rita St. Onge, 2 m. gastro-enteritis.
Charles O'Neil, 6 m. broncho-pneumonia.
Thomas J. McCartney, 15 m. nephritis.
Patrick Lally, 45, phthisis.
Samuel Orbach, 58, aneur. peptoids.
Catherine Whelan, 77, arterio-sclerosis.
4 Mary V. Mullin, 11 m. chr. bronchitis.
Anna Sullivan, 43, chr. valv. heart disease.
Elizabeth J. Burbank, 59, ac. bronchitis.
STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending Dec. 6, 1919: Population, 107,378; total deaths, 23; deaths under five, 9; deaths under one, 7; infectious diseases, 1; pneumonia, 4; acute lung diseases, bronchitis, 1; tuberculosis, 1.
Death rates: 12.48 against 11.05 and 10.59 for previous two weeks.
Infectious diseases reported: Phthisis, 9; scarlet fever, 1; tuberculosis, 4; influenza, 4.
BOARD OF HEALTH.

Out of the great variety of new stamps coming from South America, the most elaborate is that from Uruguay—a panoramic view of Montevideo reproduced from a telephotograph.

"Jeff"

Coombs

APPRECIATION

I wish to thank my many friends for the patronage they have given me the past seven years. Every garment I sell is guaranteed to give satisfaction. If it doesn't, I will. I am in hopes to not only serve all my old friends, but to make many new ones this season.—T. J. COOMBS.

TALBOT'S

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(Advertisement)

REPORT OF BIRTHS

Nov.—
14 To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Perreault of 801 Lakewood ave., a daughter.
18 To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Landry of 19 Exeter st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. William F. Dugan of 199 Broadway, a son.
20 To Mr. and Mrs. Ora Macklin of 10 Griffin st., a daughter.
21 To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wood of 14 Highland st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Corp of 35 Albion st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. James F. Gill of 272 W. Sixth st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hayes of 53 Bond st., a son.
22 To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson of 14 Forster st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mitchell of 1 Coburn pl., a son.
23 To Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Stevens of 33 Chestnut st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Masson of 1 Ward st., a daughter.
25 To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Campbell of 18 L st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Teague of 106 School st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Munn of 174 Baldwin st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Timothy E. Lynch of 8 Robinson st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Jean B. Hebert of 52 Race st., a son.
26 To Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bamford of 216 High st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Onesime Rochette of 9 Pawtucket st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Sperge Pasposios of 344 Market st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford of 71 Newhall st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stoklass of 94 First st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldman of 115 Howard st., a son.
27 To Mr. and Mrs. George Knieses of 238 Suffolk st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Simon Wiker of Calman's court, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Sullivan of 22 Stately st., a son.
28 To Mr. and Mrs. Soteris Demopoulos of 71 Dunmer st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Mike Suja of 17 Howe st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Ramsay of 45 S. Whipple st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Gordon of 19 Hudson st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Papanalos of 50 Elm st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Quintan of 834 Central st., a son.
29 To Mr. and Mrs. Armand Gervais of 757 Moody st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Topjian of 797 Merrimack st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. George E. Mayall of 316 Pine st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Emilio McGuinn of 4 Wamsell court, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Bernard J. Daly of 22 Merrill st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lessard of 166 Ludlam st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Urie Lacourse of 250 Cheever st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pelletier of 118 Tucker st., a son.
30 To Mr. and Mrs. William Lawlor Klecz of 52 Railroad st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Silva of 11 Bradford st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. George Laurendeau of 308 West Sixth st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allard of 38 Sutherland st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sideman of 108 Chestnut st., a son.

A new mineral has been discovered in Siberia. It has the appearance of dark brown rubber and when ignited it burns with a strong flame. When placed in water it becomes a mass very much like paraffin.

THIS CUP FREE

This Jiffy Measuring Cup is free to users of Jiffy-Jell. Just send us the end labels from two Jiffy-Jell packages—the labels naming the flavor—and we will mail the cup.

This aluminum cup holds exactly one-half pint. Fill twice with boiling water to dissolve one package Jiffy-Jell. It also holds exactly one cup, as called for in many recipes. Ordinary cups so very in size that many recipes are spoiled. So this exact cup, with markings showing fractions of a cup, is essential in every home.

Crushed Fruit Desserts

Delightful Dainties at Trifling Cost

We make these offers to show more women what Jiffy-Jell means to them.

Jiffy-Jell differs vastly from other quick gelatine desserts. Each package contains a bottle of condensed fruit juice.

We crush the fruit, condense the juice, and bring you real fruit in abundance in these Jiffy-Jell desserts.

That's the important point. Flavor is mere taste, and often artificial. The fruit itself is rich in earthy salts. Everybody needs it every day.

For a Few Cents

Fresh fruit and canned fruit are expensive. Here are rich fruit dainties which are not.

And they are rich in fruit. Half a pineapple, for instance, is used to flavor one Jiffy-Jell dessert. Then almost a whole lemon is used to acidulate the mixture.

Yet a package of Jiffy-Jell serves six people in mold form,

and twelve if you whip the jell—all for a few cents.

It is also quick. Simply add boiling water, as directed on package, then the fruit-juice flavor from the vial, and let cool.

Millions are using these quick, economical fruit desserts, and no home now should miss them.

Try These Flavors

Try Loganberry and Pineapple for desserts. Try Lime-fruit flavor. It makes a tart, green salad jell. Mix in your salad before cooling. Or mix in meat scraps and make an appetizing meat loaf.

Try Mint flavor. It makes a zesty mint jell to serve with meats or as a side dish.

Try them now. Then send us the end labels which mention the flavor, and get the Jiffy Cup and any of our molds.

See the coupon. Cut it out so you won't forget.

Free Dessert Molds

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Lowell Lodge Holds Annual Memorial Exercises at the Opera House

Lowell lodge of Elks never staged more impressive memorial exercises for its departed members than last evening when in common with all the lodges of the great order throughout the country it held its annual ceremonies in memory of the ten brothers who died within the year. The Opera House was the setting for the program and an exceptionally large representation of the public joined the Elks in their solemn services.

The eulogist of the evening was District Attorney Nathan A. Tufts, a brother Elks, who took "Truth" as the theme of his address.

With language reverentially paid a laudatory tribute to those departed and the lofty spirit of the order as it is being carried on by those living.

The ten members of Lowell lodge, No. 57, who had died since the last memorial exercises were held were the following:

George M. Davis, died January 24th, 1919, aged 52 years.

William H. Cook, died February 15th, 1919, aged 60 years.

Harrison D. Hodgdon, died March 4th, 1919, aged 56 years.

Thomas E. Lonnson, died April 18th, 1919, aged 57 years.

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Members of the lodge occupied a reserved section of the Opera House auditorium and as they solemnly and slowly marched to their seats the Elks' orchestra played Chopin's noted "Funeral March." Shortly after 8 o'clock the formal exercises began with the opening exercises, always an impressive feature, conducted by the officers of the lodge.

The stage was draped in mourning and with only a dim light here and there the effect was most solemn.

Nevins' "Some Blessed Day," sung by a quartet consisting of Brother James E. Donnelly, Mrs. Bertha Jordan, James S. King and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, followed the opening ceremonies.

Then came the roll call of the honored dead by John J. Lee, secretary of the lodge, and as he read each name a candle was extinguished, symbolizing the departure of the brother.

The officers' ceremonies that came next gave an insight into Elksdom and the respect in which the dead are held. It was followed by a fitting prayer by Rev. C. E. Fisher, D.D., pastor of the First Universalist church. Next came

a soprano solo, "Jesus Gaily" by Mrs. Bertha Jordan.

On the program was then delivered by District Attorney Tufts. In opening, he said that he had chosen "Truth" as the theme of his address because there never was a time when the world needed truth to be understood and the dominion of truth to be spread more than at the present. He pointed out how the great underlying principles of the universe are founded on truth so that astronomers can tell just when the sun will be partially eclipsed by the moon and so that when a seed is planted in the spring we may be sure that there will be a harvest in the autumn.

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"Lastly, we come to the insignia of our order, the noble Elks. Nature has fashioned many beautiful animals. Some noted for the colors of their coat, some for their graceful carriage, others for their apparent strength. To the elk she has given lavishly of all these things, and more.

"You have all seen that classic picture of the monarch of the glen. It shows a giant elk overlooking his great domain. He stands with head erect, crowned with his antlers and robed in the handsome coat of his ancestors. He surely typified all that is proud and noble and valiant. He will brook no imposition, and yet he seeks no quarrel. He will fight only when in danger. He is a just monarch. The other animals in his realm can trust him. He fears nothing. He stands four-square with the world. He will go to the death grapple in defense of the truth."

Brother Tufts then compared the elk with his opposite in the animal world, the wolf, which he characterized as the scavenger of the wilderness. He pointed out the cowardice, the lack of honor and pity which the wolf typifies and said that it is the

animal of hate. Deftly he drew an analogy between the animal world and the human world. He said, today are drawn together by the turbulence of the times and the aftermath of the great conflict. They are hungry for the blood of clean things and only one thing can stop them, truth. Truth, he said, is the clarion call that will always put fear into the heart of the wolf and that call must be sounded.

"The Elks of America can and must keep the wolf pack of the political wilderness from our shores and drive the few isolated wolves in our midst to cover. We fight under the banner of our order, which is founded in the living truth.

"The best way to keep fresh the memory of our departed brothers is to renew, in their spiritual presence, here tonight, our adherence to the principles of our great order that meant so much to their white living and I hope and trust sustain them even in eternity."

"Truth lives. It is immortal. The man who lives with truth in his heart lives with immortality. The order that is founded in truth is founded in immortality. The nation that is founded in truth cannot die."

Even as we are brothers in Elksdom, so we are brother Americans. In our nation lies the hope of the world. Each of us can think the truth and speak the truth and do his part to spread the doctrine of truth throughout the nation and the world.

In the memory of our brothers of yesterday let us pledge ourselves tonight to take up the battle of truth to the end that the wolves of the world will once more turn their blood-shot eyes toward the wilderness and the clean things of civilization resume their orderly conduct. Let each Elks respond to the call and soon the baying of the wolf-pack will be heard growing weaker and weaker in the distance and in a short time will be heard no more. Each Elks to his duty."

Elks Founded on Truth

The Benevolent, Protective, Order of Elks is founded in truth. We take our entire idea of brotherhood from nature herself. The benevolence of our order is but a copy of the bounty of nature. She never fails. The Order of Elks has never failed to respond to the needs of those who wanted help and sustenance.

News of the Churches

Masses were celebrated at the usual holy day hours in all the local Catholic churches today in observance of the feast of the Immaculate Conception, and large numbers of the faithful received communion as a suitable method of bringing to a close retreats or tridiums which they made during the past week. Special services in honor of the Blessed Virgin will be held in many of the churches tonight.

St. Patrick's

Rev. Dr. Supple sang the high mass at St. Patrick's church yesterday and Rev. Francis Keenan preached the sermon. Rt. Rev. William O'Brien, P. B., celebrated the 7 o'clock mass and Rev. Fr. Keenan assisted in giving communion. The novena which was started in this parish a week ago came to a close Saturday. The usual holy day services were held today and this evening there will be a reception of new members into the women's sodality.

Immaculate Conception

Masses were celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church today at

5.30, 6.30, 8 and 9 o'clock in honor of the feast of the Immaculate Conception. Large numbers of the faithful received communion. At 6.30 last evening the week's retreat for the women of the parish was brought to a close with fitting ceremonies. The retreat has been conducted by Rev. Albert S. McDermott, O.M.I., of Buffalo, formerly a member of St. Patrick's parish, this city, and there were large attendances at all the services.

Sacred Heart

The three days' retreat for the women of the Sacred Heart parish, which began last week, was brought to a close last evening. Rev. John H. Doherty, O.M.I., conducted all the services and there were large congregations throughout the retreat. Members of the Holy Rosary sodality received communion at the 7.30 o'clock mass yesterday. Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., was the celebrant and Rev. William H. Mahan, O.M.I., and Rev. Fr. Doherty, O.M.I., assisted in giving communion.

Vesper services will be held this evening at 7.30.

St. Peter's

Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan celebrated the high mass at St. Peter's church yesterday at 11 o'clock and Rev. Peter Linehan preached the sermon. Members of the Immaculate Conception sodality received communion at the 7.30 o'clock mass, of which the pastor, Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, Ph.D., was the celebrant. Rev. Francis L. Shea assisted in giving communion. The Married Ladies' sodality will receive communion next Sunday. The triduum started last Friday came to a close last evening with fitting ceremonies.

St. Michael's

Rev. John J. Shaw, the pastor, celebrated the 8 o'clock mass at St. Michael's church yesterday. Members of the Holy Rosary sodality received communion and Rev. Thomas J. Heagney assisted in giving communion. Rev. James F. Lynch sang the high mass and Rev. Fr. Heagney preached the sermon. Vesper services will be held this evening at 7.30.

St. Margaret's

Rev. Stephen G. Murray sang the parish mass at St. Margaret's church yesterday and the pastor, Rev. Charles

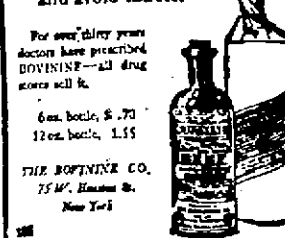
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J. Galligan, the 7.30 mass. Members of the Ladies' sodality received communion at the latter mass. The closing exercises of the triduum which started Friday were held last evening and Rev. Dr. Supple of St. Patrick's church delivered the sermon. Benediction was held with Rev. Fr. Galligan the celebrant, Rev. Dr. Supple the deacon and Rev. Fr. Murray sub-deacon.

St. Columba's

Rev. James F. Somers sang the late mass at St. Columba's church yesterday and at the early mass, celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Patrick J. Italy, members of the Holy Rosary sodality received communion. Vesper services will be held this evening at 7.30.

St. Joseph's Parish

Rev. Eugene Turcotte, O.M.I., celebrated the late mass at St. Joseph's church yesterday and Rev. Aurelien Merrell, O.M.I., was the preacher of the day. Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O.M.I., sang the high mass at St. Jean Baptiste church and Rev. Rosario Jalbert, O.M.I., was the preacher.

St. Louis

Rev. Eugene Vincent, O.M.I., celebrated the parish mass at St. Louis' church yesterday and Rev. F. N. Gauthier preached the sermon. A reception will be held this evening for new members of the Blessed Virgin sodality.

Notre Dame de Lourdes

Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I., the pastor, spoke at all the masses at Notre Dame de Lourdes' church yesterday, and Rev. J. B. A. Barrette, O.M.I., celebrated the parish mass.

Calvary Baptist

Rev. Asa R. Dilts took for his sermon topic at the Calvary Baptist church yesterday morning: "The New World Movement."

Fifth Street Baptist

"Enlisting for Life" was the subject discussed yesterday morning at the Fifth Street Baptist church. Rev. G. B. Marston was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the topic: "When the Individual is at His Best."

First Baptist

Rev. York A. King of Lawrence preached yesterday morning at the First Baptist church on the topic: "The New World Movement." His evening topic was: "Revolution Rumbles."

Immanuel Baptist

"The Mark of a Christian" was the topic discussed yesterday morning at the Immanuel Baptist church by the pastor, Rev. D. J. Hatfield. In the evening he spoke on the theme: "A Very Serious Question."

Paige Street Baptist

Rev. Earl T. Favro preached yesterday morning at the Paige Street Baptist church on the topic: "Custard Pie Christians."

Worthing Street Baptist

"Another War" was the subject discussed at the Worthing Street Baptist church yesterday morning by the pastor, Rev. Walter A. Woodbury. Evangelist Leckemby conducted the evening service.

Christian Science

The regular services were held at the Christian Science churches of the city yesterday and the subject under discussion was: "God; the Only Cause and Creator."

Elliot Union Congregational

Rev. John W. Ross, who has accepted the pastorate of the Elliot Union church, preached his first sermon yesterday morning to a large congregation. His topic was: "The Word of God."

First Congregational

Rev. Chauncey J. Hawkins took for his topic at the First Congregational church yesterday morning: "Is Life Worth While?" The evening topic was: "Mad Dogs and Mosquitoes."

Highland Congregational

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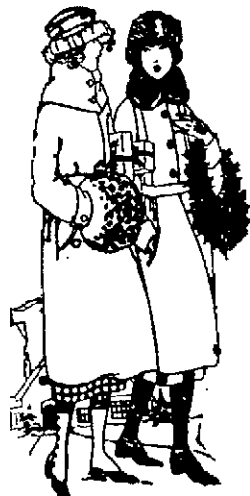
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the pastor, Rev. A. S. Beale. The evening topic was: "What Gov. Coolidge Says to Lowell People."

Pawtucket Congregational

Rev. A. G. Lyon preached yesterday morning at the Pawtucket church on the topic: "The Supreme Things of Life." The evening topic was: "Men Who Can Keep in Step."

St. Paul's M. E.

"The Sense of Want" was the topic discussed yesterday morning at St. Paul's M. E. church. Rev. John L. Cairns was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the theme: "A Fly in the Ointment."

First Primitive Methodist

Rev. N. W. Matthews took for his sermon topic at the First Primitive Methodist church yesterday morning: "The Word of God." The evening topic was: "God's Demands of Men."

First Presbyterian

"Our Windows—Canada" was the subject discussed yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian church. Rev. J. E. Kennedy was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the topic: "Lighting Lamps Afar."

First Universalist

Rev. C. E. Fisher commenced his 25th year as pastor of the First Universalist church yesterday. He preached a sermon appropriate for the occasion at the morning service, which was largely attended.

STORIES HUNT HEARS IN WASHINGTON

BY HARRY HUNT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—Thomas Riley Marshall, vice president of the United States, took from his mantlepiece a chunk of lava and presented it to one of his callers as a souvenir.

It was an interesting specimen, almost jet black, but with high lights of sea green and bronze, the twists and folds in its convolutions showing how the molten rock had once flowed like syrup, down some mountain side.

"Do you know," said Marshall, as the recipient gazed with pleasure at the gift, "I never look at that piece of lava without being reminded of Albert J. Beveridge."

"Beveridge?" exclaimed the visitor. "Beveridge? Whatever is there about it to remind you of Beveridge?"

"Why," said Marshall, "they were once—both of 'em—hot stuff!"

In the Dim and Distant Future

A Japanese visitor, more than usually frank, was discussing matters and things in general with a Washington newspaperman. He had come straight from the cherry-blossom isle to the International Labor conference, on his first visit to the United States, but he spoke English like a native American and soon proved his ability to make nice distinctions both of word and thought, in his use of our tongue.

"The labor conference," he said, "was

of interest; but it was not interesting."

"How about Shantung?" he was asked. "When will Japan give it back?"

"Why," he said, "we'll give it back Shantung. Yes. We'll give it back when England grants self-determination to India."

Last Place to Get on Water Wagon

John Sharp Williams, senior senator from Mississippi and staunch foe of the national prohibition amendment, cornered Senator Harding of Ohio the day after Harding's Ohio friends had announced his candidacy for president.

"Senator," said John Sharp, "when you move your trunks and luggage into the White House, there's one thing I want you to do for me. If you grant it, I'll never ask another favor of you as long as you are president."

"Why, certainly, John Sharp," said Harding. "Just name it and you can have it."

"Well, all I want," said J. S., "is to be named United States consul at Bordeaux."

"Bordeaux?" exclaimed Harding. "Why consul at Bordeaux? Wouldn't an ambassadorship suit you better?"

"No," Williams replied, "I'd rather be consul at Bordeaux. You see I've studied civilization over pretty carefully, and I've come to the conclusion that Bordeaux will be about the last place on earth to go dry."

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REPUBLICAN LEADERS MEET AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Republican leaders from every state were coming into Washington today to participate in the numberless conferences on candidates and policies incident to the meeting of the republican national committee Wednesday. These conferences easily overshadowed in interest, the real purpose of the meeting, which is to select a time and place for the 1920 convention. With the arrival today of Chairman W. H. Hays and other officials of the national committee, talk about the convention city began to forecast an early decision. It was thought likely that in their conferences during the day, the leaders might virtually settle the question. Chicago and St. Louis are making fights for the honor.

City Election

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laney, James E. Lyle, James E. Markham and Dr. James H. Rooney.

Interest in the campaign since the city primaries has been confined mainly to the mayoralty fight although the aldermanic candidates have waged a warm battle via newspaper advertising. Both candidates for mayor were on the stump Saturday evening as were Messrs. Brown and Salmon among the aldermanic aspirants. The others did not make public addresses during the campaign.

Today was a busy one among the candidates. Both Messrs. Gilbride and Thompson made noon-day speeches and will cover a large part of the city in whirlwind addresses this evening. Mr. ed to the school board two years ago

Salmon and Mr. Brown will also be on the stump again tonight.

At this time it is interesting to look back and see what votes the successful candidates received at the city election two years ago, or in 1917. In that year Mayor Thompson won his election by a majority of 3515 over his opponent, Dr. Rodrigue Mignault. The mayor's vote was 5601 and his opponent's 4786. Mayor Thompson got his strongest support in wards 8 and 9 where he received 1174 and 1376 votes, respectively. Ward 3 gave him the third highest number of votes, 1043; ward 4 gave him 910; ward 1, 923; ward 7, 859; ward 5, 849; ward 2, 731, and ward 6, 690. The total number of ballots cast that year for mayor was 13,735, and the election officials believe that about a thousand more will be cast this year owing to the increased registration. However, if the mayor is able to maintain the vote in each ward tomorrow that he received two years ago, his re-election will be a surety.

On the other hand, Mr. Gilbride has never been tried in a final election campaign yet and only his strength at the primaries is available from which to speculate. He will, of course, have to increase his primary endorsement to win election and it is believed that his strongest support will come from wards 4 and 5.

Two years ago Commissioners Donnelly and Morse were successful candidates for re-election. Commissioner Donnelly headed the list with a total vote of 7056 and Commissioner Morse polled 6599 votes. Exclusive of ward 8, which comprises four precincts, Mr. Donnelly got his greatest strength from ward 1, where he received 933 votes. Ward 3 was Mr. Morse's highest ward for here he received 993 votes.

Richard Braabrook Walsh was elected to the school board two years ago

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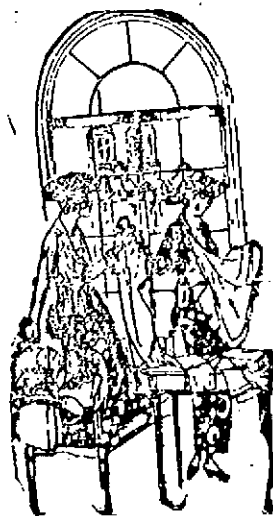
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STEP-IN AND CHEMALOONS—Prettily trimmed with lace medallions and tucking, \$2.98 and \$3.50

BOUDOIR CAPS—Splendid assortment of dainty and pretty models for Christmas gifts, 50c to \$5.00

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R. Thompson was second with 7793.

Messrs. Donnelly and Morse defeated James F. Miskella and Newell F. Putnam for the commissionerships while Henry V. Charbonneau and Michael F. O'Brien were the defeated school board aspirants.

License went "Yes" two years ago with a vote of 1617 as against 5969 for "No." The license question was

conceded to be the outstanding issue of the 1917 campaign.

A final word to the voters may not be amiss. In the first place, vote early, for the polls close at 4 p. m. And vote for only one candidate for mayor, two for aldermen and two for school committee. If more are voted for in any instance the ballot will automatically become worthless.

In Police Court

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who gave their residence as Boston and Nashua, N. H., respectively, were arraigned on continuance on charges of attempted larceny from the person and their cases continued until Thursday. The pair are being held in \$1000 each.

Other Offenders

Convicted of carrying a revolver without a permit, Domenico Millinazzi was fined \$100.

On the charge of stealing \$5 from the Chalifoux Co., Emil J. Lessard pleaded not guilty and was held in \$200 for hearing tomorrow. It is alleged that Lessard, who is employed as a clerk at the store, sent through a slip for 93 cents last Saturday, when the actual purchase called for \$5.93.

Joseph Birch, a Providence youth, came down to Lowell a few weeks ago, broke, friendless and very, very hungry. Mrs. Hattie Brouette, a local lodging housekeeper, took him in, fed him, and allowed him to pay his way by helping her about the house. Then one day she gave him \$12 to pay a bill and Joe didn't come back.

In police court today Joe explained that he was sorry about the affair of the \$12. He had gone to Milford, he said, in the hopes of getting a job. And he would do his best to pay Mrs. Brouette back.

Joe's memory went back on him at this point. In fact, he became so forgetful, did Joe, that they finally held him in \$200 for investigation and a later hearing. Joe couldn't remember where he had lived in Providence, where he had worked, and sundry other details in connection with his past.

Cyril Giguere, charged with allowing his automobile to stand more than five minutes in the restricted zone on Central street, paid a fine of \$5.

Rollins Given Life Sentence

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—Charles Rollins, who was found guilty of murder in the second degree by a jury Saturday, for the shooting of Edward C. Foley, manager of a chain store, was sentenced to imprisonment for life today. When counsel said that the district attorney's office had agreed to assist in reopening the case, in the event that an error in the verdict should be found, Judge Brown said that if there had been any error made by the jury, it was in favor of the defendant.

er details in connection with his past. Cyril Giguere, charged with allowing his automobile to stand more than five minutes in the restricted zone on Central street, paid a fine of \$5.

D'ANNUNZIO TO FLY TO AMERICA

FIUME, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Captain Gabriele d'Annunzio plans to visit America after the Fiume situation has been adjusted, he told the Associated Press today. The soldier-aviator-poet declared he would make his trip to the United States by airplane, going by the way of Japan. "I yearn to reach America on wings," he said. "I will fly to America across the Pacific and land on your fair Pacific coast. When my task in Fiume is done and when Fiume is a part of Italy's realm, I am going to Tokyo through the clouds. Then I will look across that vast expanse of the Pacific, lift myself from this earth, and start toward your land, your free America, stepping from is-

land to island. It is unfavorable weather now, but it will be favorable in February and if Fiume is ours I will do it then."

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SHAME! MR. GILBRIDE

Your statement of "BOODLE" influence upon the voters of WARDS 2, 4 and 5 should be resented, not only by them, but by every decent citizen of Lowell.

MR. GILBRIDE:

In the heat of a political campaign one may expect a few "Wild Cat" stories, and allow them to pass unnoticed as being unimportant and chargeable to overstrained nerves. Your statement at City Hall steps on Saturday night, however, that "the bag of boodle" was opened in Ward 2 "tonight" and "will be opened in Wards 4 and 5 Sunday and Monday," is going just a little too far, and is a fair index of your capacity to be Mayor of Lowell.

Why do you select Wards 2, 4 and 5 as being particularly susceptible to the "BAG" influence? Is this your estimate of the stability and integrity of the citizenship of these Wards—that they are more easily influenced along such lines than the citizens of other wards? It is indeed poor recompense to have such aspersions cast upon them.

Inasmuch as you talk about the "BAG" being "OPENED," why did you not assume that such "INFLUENCE" would be general throughout the city, instead of being confined to Wards 2, 4 and 5? You know that a vote is a vote, no matter in which Ward it is cast.

Calm your fears, Mr. Gilbride, the vote which I will get in Wards 2, 4 and 5, tomorrow, will be an HONEST VOTE, uninfluenced except that the voters believe that I am entitled to a second term, based upon my public service. Then again, I am not so "affluently fixed" as to indulge in such a questionable pastime.

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the German mission, this afternoon.

Urges Refusal to Sign

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Gustav Noske, German minister of defense, declares he will recommend that the German government refuse to sign the protocol of the peace treaty, no matter what the consequences may be, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail. Herr Noske was careful to say he was giving his personal views, but it is said his statement agreed with "intention ascribed to other members of the

German cabinet.

Charges that Great Britain and France were "deliberately planning the destruction of Germany," and that those governments "by deceit and trickery" were moulding public opinion in their countries preparatory to "crippling Germany before the crushing effect of the first treaty" were made by Herr Noske, who declared he had "lost all confidence in the pledges of the allies."

Demands for dock and harbor material in preparation for the sinking of the interned German fleet at Scapa Flow and the provision of the protocol empowering the allies to enforce the agree-

ments of the peace treaty were described by the German minister as the "two straws which have broken the back of German endurance." The fact that failure by the United States to ratify the treaty may mean larger representations from the other allies on commissions established by the pact was another point urged by Herr Noske as a reason for Germany to refuse to sign the protocol.

"If the absence of United States representatives means there will be more Frenchmen on the commissions," he asserted, "it would be injurious to German interests and we should not agree."

Lowell, Monday, Dec. 8, 1919.

A. G. Pollard Co.

LOWELL'S MOST ATTRACTIVE CHRISTMAS STORE

There's a Christmas Atmosphere Here That's Hard to Imitate

A certain cheerfulness and sentiment, connected with a business of years and years standing, which is difficult to describe; at the same time it's here. Larger and more attractive stocks than ever, Christmas decorations everywhere, smiling, willing workers and the best service in this section; together with our ever present guarantee of satisfaction makes this store at the gift-giving season, as well as the year around, the store for YOU.

Our Rug and Drapery Department Suggests Splendid Gifts For the Home

Showing the best assortment of Curtains in all styles and grades, both domestic and imported, Irish Points, Princess, Lacet in white and Arab, Filet Nets in plain with borders and figured, also some with lace edge; Scotch Laces, Cable Nets and Nottingham— all in the latest patterns. Regular prices on these today \$1.50 to \$25.00 a pair. Prices range from **98¢ to \$17.50 a Pair**

Scrim and Marquisette Curtains in all the newest styles—plain, with lace edges, others with lace insertions and edging, and in Dutch styles. These are all made up ready to hang, in white, cream and Arab. Worth in today's market \$1.75 to \$17.00. Priced from **\$1.25 to \$10 a Pair**

Scotch Madras Curtains in a variety of patterns in plain or Dutch Styles, with or without colored figures. Priced from **\$2.98 to \$5.98 a Pair**

Ruffled Curtains of voile and muslin, made with a good full ruffle. Reg. length only; worth \$3.50, only **\$2.50 a Pair**

Ruffled Curtains made of fine scrim with Picot edge, 2½ yards long, very fashionable for bed rooms, dining rooms; worth \$5.00 and \$6.00. **\$3.98 and \$4.98 a Pair**

We offer for your selection the best and most complete assortment in this section of scrim and Marquisette by the yard, in plain, figured and fancy double border for all sorts of curtaining. Priced from **25¢ to 89¢ a Yard**



Filet Nets and Madras Lace in a large variety of patterns suitable for long curtains and for door panels. Priced **49¢ to \$1.49 a Yard**

Scrim with colored border for curtains, at **49¢ a Yard**

Muslin in all the grades for sash curtains or long curtains for bed rooms. Priced from **29¢ to 50¢ a Yard**

Colored figured Marquisette for bed rooms, over hanging, at **59¢ a Yard**

For Years This Store Has Been the Headquarters for Rugs and Art Squares at Christmas Time

Here you'll find the largest assortment, attractive and appropriate designs and colorings in every grade, and the lowest prices to be found in this section of New England—savings of from 35 to 50 per cent.

9x12 heavy Axminster, slightly imperfect, at **\$49.00**

9x12 heavy Axminster, slightly imperfect, at **\$42.50**

9x12 French Wilton, slightly imperfect, at **\$59.00**

9x12 Velvet **\$45.00**

8½x10½ Wilton Perfect **\$72.00**

8½x10½ Axminster, slightly imperfect, at **\$40.00**

8½x10½ Axminster, slightly imperfect, at **\$35.00**

6 1-3x9 Axminster **\$35.00**

6 1-3x9 Axminster, slightly imperfect **\$31.50**

9x12 10-wire Tapestry **\$32.50**

8½x10½ 10-wire Tapestry **\$29.50**

9x12 9-wire Tapestry **\$27.50**

8½x10½ 9-wire Tapestry **\$25.00**

8 1-3x9 9-wire Tapestry **\$19.50**

6x9 9-wire Tapestry **\$17.50**

9x12 8-wire Tapestry **\$25.00**

8½x10½ 8-wire Tapestry **\$22.50**

This is the last lot at these prices.

Small Axminster Rugs, in a host of designs. Sizes 27 in. x 54 **\$3.98 to \$5.98**

Small Axminster rugs, slightly imperfect. Sizes 36 in. x 70 **\$5.98 to \$8.50 Each**

Rugs purchased now—and we strongly recommend an early selection—will be delivered when you desire—

EAST SECTION

SECOND FLOOR



Come to MACARTNEY'S for

Christmas Gifts FOR MEN AND BOYS

Here are the largest stocks and widest varieties of the useful, practical gifts that all men want and all boys need. Everything fresh and new of known high grade quality, made especially to please the masculine mind.

CLOTHES

The one hundred per cent. perfect gift for the Man or Young Man. A good Suit or Overcoat ranks first as the most acceptable present for the men folk. We now have an abundant supply of both, in new, practical models, and many novelties.

\$30 to \$75

HANDKERCHIEFS.... 19¢ to 65¢
NECKWEAR..... 75¢ to \$3.50
SHIRTS..... \$2.00 to \$10.00
FANCY VESTS... \$3.50 to \$9.00
JEWELRY..... 50¢ to \$4.00

HOSIERY..... 35¢ to \$2.50
MUFFLERS..... 65¢ to \$9.00
HOUSE COATS \$8.00 to \$35.00
BATH ROBES \$10.00 to \$25.00

And Hundreds of Other Useful, Practical Gifts in Better Styles and Greater Values Than You Will Be Able to Find Anywhere Else.

The Store of the Christmas Spirit

Macartney's

72 to 86—MERRIMACK—72 to 86

Children's Barber Shop on the 2nd Floor



ELECTRIC RAILWAYS

Continuation of Private Ownership and Protection of Private Capital Urged

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Continuation of private ownership of electric railways and protection of private capital invested in local transportation was recommended in a brief filed today with the federal electric railway commission by Bentley W. Warren, counsel for the committee of 100 of the American Electric Railway association.

The brief declared that "the confidence of the investor in electric railway investments has been destroyed, not because of a temporary depression in the business but by reason of the fact that the conditions surrounding the investment have been and are now such as to prohibit issuance of either its safety or adequate return."

To safeguard the interests of investors, the committee suggested the enactment of measures providing a flexible automatic rate of fare based upon the cost of service, including a fair rate of return and a further reward based upon efficiency in operation.

AGAINST BERGER

Bodenstadt Candidate in Today's Primaries

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 8.—Candidates for congress in the fifth Wisconsin district were voted for at a special primary election today. On Dec. 19, the vacancy caused by congress refusal to seat Victor Berger, socialist, who was elected at the November election in 1918, will be filled.

Berger again was a candidate of his party, while Henry H. Bodenstadt, republican, has been agreed upon as a fusion candidate for the two old parties.

Citizens of Lowell:—

FOR CLOTHES

Ernest Gauthier



ERNEST GAUTHIER

Twelve years ago I first offered GOOD CLOTHES to the citizens of Lowell. Today my platform is still Good Clothes. In spite of every effort my enemies can not point to a single misfit.

TALBOT'S

CENTRAL ST.,

Cor. Warren.

A Trained and Experienced Clothing Official

Jas. A. Sheehan



JAMES A. SHEEHAN

MR. CITIZEN—

Just think carefully before you buy your next Suit or Overcoat. As I am capable of giving the best value and service in my line, gentlemen, consider me on your next purchase as I will guarantee your satisfaction. So vote me your friendship and I will prove to be the right man and on the job all the time.

My election is your gain as I will work for your interest.

TALBOT'S

Central Street, Corner Warren

Run by Wm. J. Madden.

An Eleventh Hour Political Misrepresentation "NAILED"

TO THE CITIZENS OF LOWELL:

Mr. Midwood was appointed and served as plumbing inspector four months before any examination was taken for that position, and after the civil service list was certified, he being one of the three eligible men, I confirmed his appointment to the position permanently, this attitude giving entire satisfaction to the two soldiers on the list with him. The soldier whom I am accused of "jumping" being on record at a meeting of the American Legion as saying, "I have been fairly treated." The two soldiers in question evidently recognize my spirit of fairness and justice better than do you, Mr. Gilbride.

Mr. Gilbride, in your attempt to change soldier sentiment, don't forget that my son is a veteran of the war and a charter member of Lowell Post of the American Legion.

PERRY D. THOMPSON,
185 Andover Street.

LOCAL BARTENDERS ELECT OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the members of the Bartenders' union was held yesterday afternoon in their quarters in Merrimack hall. Routine business was transacted, questions of importance were discussed and every member of the organization pledged himself to be at the polls tomorrow in the interest

of the license question. A feature of the meeting was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Frank McMahon, president; John H. Burns, vice president; Hugh Maguire, recording secretary; John J. Quirk, financial secretary and business agent; Frank McNulty, treasurer, and Laurel Beedy, trustee.

FITCHBURG STRIKE LAST FEW HOURS

FITCHBURG, Dec. 8.—After a strike lasting a few hours today, 300 employees of the Louis DeJonge Co. manufacturers of surface coated paper, went back to work. They asked an increase of 12 1/2 per cent and received 10 per cent.

FRACTURED HIS ANKLE

Arthur Brassard of Moody street, employed by the Abernethy Construction Co. on the erection of a new mill for the Day State Cotton Corp. in Broadway, fractured his right ankle while at his work today and he was taken to St. John's hospital in the ambulance.

FOUND WITH THROAT CUT

HARRISON, N. Y., Dec. 8.—The body of the Rev. Norman McKinnon, described as pastor of a church in a suburb of Boston, was found yesterday with the throat cut in the Hygienic Institute at Purchase, five miles north of here, according to information given out by the institute authorities today. It is believed that the wound was self-inflicted. Mr. McKinnon, who was 57 years of age, came here six weeks ago for treatment for a nervous disorder.

In one day the salvage ship Racer got \$500,000 worth of gold from the White Star liner Laurentic, which was sunk in 1917 off one of the northern headlands of Ireland.

In North Yokohama is Japan's largest bathhouse where one can get a bath for half a cent, a haircut for a cent and a half and two shaves for a nickel.

The gradual melting of the snows in the higher mountain ranges in Spain during the warmer months provides a constant supply of water for irrigation purposes.

ALSATIAN DECLARATION

Jean Francois Selected To Read It to French Chamber Today

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Jean Francois, born in 1884 in Moselle, selected to read the declaration of the Alsatian deputies to the French chamber today, is the youngest member of that body. Twenty-four deputies from the retrieved provinces met yesterday afternoon, decided upon the terms of their declaration and elected Francois as their spokesman.

"The Germans have not renounced Alsace-Lorraine," the declaration says. "The decision of the people against Germany has not reconciled the Germans to the loss of the two provinces. Germany does not understand the verdict of the election of Nov. 16 last. By

Mr. Voter

Be sure and vote early, before going to work if possible. Polls open from 6 a. m. to 4 p. m.

GILBRIDE CAMP. COM.,

JOSEPH P. DONAHUE,

Chairman.

(Adv.)

CHERRY & WEBB

A SALE OF FINE WOOL

Jersey Dresses

The Good News We Herewith Announce for Tuesday

This is no common occurrence—rather an extraordinary happening. The handsome Jersey Dresses were made to our exclusive order—the styles are stunning. Some of the models presented are shown in the sketches with this ad. That way you get an inkling of the beauty and grace of these Wool Jerseys. The quality is excellent. They are made first class!

You will observe that when Wool Jersey and Silk Embroidery join forces the result is delightful—the soft surface of Jersey provides a perfect background for lustrous embroidery.

Dresses of the class, the style, the quality—in this Sale—are regularly priced from \$32.50 to \$42.50. You will see at once by inspection that they are wonderful values—at our Special Sale, Price—

\$27.50



Like Cut—\$27.50

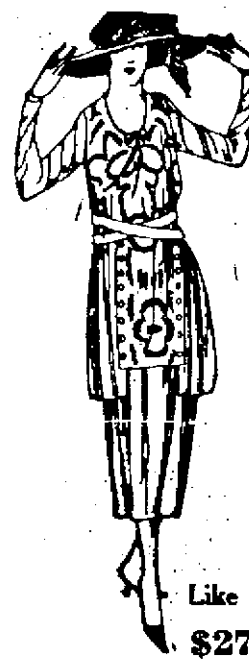


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COLORS:
Brown
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Plenty of all sizes—from 16 to 44.



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That we are confident you can make no mistake in buying one of these Jersey Dresses.

Dresses Pinned FREE! A Small Charge for Alterations

CHERRY & WEBB

12-18 JOHN STREET

Sale Starts at 9 A. M. Tuesday Shop Early in the Day

We Have Started a Little War of Our Own. It Will Be Known as the "Chester Revolution"

Read Our Announcement Friday, Dec. 12th, in all Newspapers.

MAKER TO WEARER DIRECT
CHESTER CLOTHES SHOP
102 CENTRAL STREET LOWELL, MASS.

every artifice, Germany has tried to falsify that vote. For 10 months past, she has been flooding the retrieved provinces with so-called autonomist literature. The nation of pillagers has one sentimental romance—the possession of Alsace is now, as ever, a 'casus belli'.

Germany never dared organize a referendum in her subjected provinces. France obtained a unanimity of votes at the elections, which constituted a true plebiscite, on Nov. 16. In virtue of the now universally recognized right of peoples to dispose of themselves, Germany can never again by any title reclaim the territory she held only by the obsolete right of conquest.

Premier Clemenceau, the last survivor of the national assembly of Bordeaux, which sat in 1871, was prepared to reply to the declaration.

Precedents were violated by the agreement to permit the men from Alsace and Lorraine to speak at the opening session of the chamber, but this is accepted as a good augury for the future accomplishments of the house. Even Eugene Pierre, permanent secretary of the chamber and the sternest guardian of its precedents, has been unable to oppose this violation of the written regulations, which stipulate that the dean of the chamber shall ad-

dress the house which will then "immediately" proceed to the election of its bureau. Jules Siegfried is the dean of the house, but by a happy coincidence, he is an Alsatian. At 83 years of age, he is vigorous and in perfect health, although when a young man he owed his life to a transfusion of blood from the family gardener, who died recently after enjoying a pension of the house, but by a happy coincidence, he is an Alsatian. At 83 years of age, he is vigorous and in perfect health, although when a young man he owed his life to a transfusion of blood from the family gardener, who died recently after enjoying a pension of the house, but by a happy coincidence, he is an Alsatian. At 83 years of age, he is vigorous and in perfect health, although when a young man he owed his life to a transfusion of blood from the family gardener, who died recently after enjoying a pension of the house, but by a happy coincidence, he is an Alsatian. 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THE MINERS' STRIKE

It appears that the miners' strike is just what was needed to convince congress that it must furnish legal protection for the people against labor strikes or lockouts which tie up the necessities of life to the peril of the nation.

The country has had a great coal strike in the past, but never any that challenged directly the power of the government as does that now in force.

This is the first of the kind to set the government and the courts at defiance. Uncle Sam is certainly in a most unusual position, with a lot of coal miners ordered back to work by the courts, yet wholly oblivious of such an order; while the industries of the country are shutting down for want of coal, railroad service is curtailed and the people are threatened with starvation unless the strike be soon called off or the mines opened up in some other way.

It is certainly time the government should not only find some means of ending the struggle but of preventing the recurrence of any such strike in the future. What are the plans proposed to meet the situation and offer security against such strikes in future?

There are various schemes proposed, but nothing definite has been decided upon thus far. The question of prohibiting strikes in industries vital to the public safety and convenience will enter into the settlement of the railroad problem in the disposal of the bills now before congress. Heretofore, the coal miners have been regarded as private property and miners and operators alike as engaged in a private enterprise.

The present strike has changed all this, and as a result, in compliance with a demand of the people throughout the country, the business of coal mining and railroad transportation may be declared vital to the life of the nation and any interruption of either by strike or lockout may therefore be prohibited by law.

Nothing short of this will protect the public from the menace of famine in food and fuel as often as the miners wish to strike for any cause whatsoever.

In the present coal strike, it is not the operators who suffer, but the people throughout the nation. Industries are closed and hundreds of thousands are forced into idleness, many of them with no means of support, no money to buy either food or fuel.

Is this right? Should it be authorized by the miners' unions or tolerated by the government?

When two nations are at war, if one can get control of the fuel supply of the other, it can force that other to surrender. It is thus perhaps the miners hoped to beat the government and the people and force the concessions demanded. But they will find in the long run that they have made a serious blunder. They are in reality injuring the cause of union labor throughout this country.

Strikes that affect only the employers should not be interfered with; but the present miners' strike is not in that category. It is a thrust at the heart of the nation. The time has arrived when the people will refuse to be frozen or starved at the whim of any organization, much less that of the coal miners, mostly foreigners and perhaps many of them anarchists. The people must be protected against such perils, whether coming from an honest purpose to secure justice or the secret plotting of radicals to overthrow the government.

With all due respect to the fuel commissioner who interfered, it seems, he should have stayed on the job until he secured a settlement. He went in to investigate certain things, announced his findings and then withdrew. The miners care nothing for his views; they care nothing for the injunction proceedings. Garfield said he would start up the mines. Why does he not do it without further delay? Union labor has certain rights that must be maintained and defended, but it cannot justly claim the right to cut off the means of subsistence from the people of the nation or any considerable number thereof. It is the duty of congress to define by law the right of the people to protection against such

perils from whatever source they may come.

This duty has been shirked in the past for political reasons; but the time has arrived when the politicians must do their duty or stand utterly discredited.

Judging from reports issued last night, it seems that a settlement is imminent. The conference between President Lewis and Attorney General Palmer and Secretary Tumulty, representing President Wilson, is likely to end the struggle. But the government in seeing that the miners get full justice, should provide also that some arrangement shall be made to prevent any future interruption of the mining of coal either from strike or lockout.

AGAINST HIGH TARIFF

According to quoted utterances, there is quite a schism in the high tariff ranks of the republican leaders. As little lack of team work is visible as when Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, recently scoffed at the house protective tariff bills on optical glass, etc., as being not only of the "pop-gun" variety but "un-scientific" and requiring rewriting before they were fit to be considered by the senate.

"If we want to sell, we must be prepared to buy," said the president in his message to congress at the opening of its regular session. "Whatever, therefore, may have been our views during the period of growth of American business, concerning tariff legislation, we must now adjust our own economic life to a changed condition growing out of the fact that American business is full grown and that America is the greatest capitalist in the world."

In explaining the commercial situation of the world today, the president said:

"Anything which would tend to prevent foreign countries from settling for our exports by shipments of goods into this country could only have the effect of preventing them from paying for our exports, and therefore of preventing the exports from being made. The productivity of the country, greatly stimulated by the war, must find an outlet by exports to foreign countries, and any measures taken to prevent imports will inevitably curtail exports, force curtailment of production, load the banking machinery of the country with credits to carry unsold products and produce industrial stagnation and unemployment."

One of the most virulent high protectionists of the country for many years was Alva B. Johnson of Philadelphia, former president of the Baldwin Locomotive works. But, as he expressed recently in his own city, "the time must come in the life of every growing nation when it must realize that conditions have changed," Mr. Johnson pointed out, that "the United States since the world war, has passed from being a debtor nation to being a creditor nation." Mr. Johnson has changed to the extent of finally abandoning his high tariff traditions. He makes plain his position in the following statement:

"But a creditor nation cannot afford to build a Chinese wall around itself and exclude all debt nations. Its advantage lies in the greatest exchange of commodities, because foreign trade, in the last analysis, is only an exchange of commodities. I hear echoes of a desire to re-establish protection for American industries. Are we not listening to a false suggestion? Has not the time come when the resources of the United States are to be found in the greatest shipments of raw material and manufactured goods, and the greatest importation of foreign goods which we can consume?"

Senator Penrose recently supports Mr. Johnson's expressed views when he said:

"It is the general consensus of business men all over the United States that it is not practical nor even desirable to begin general tariff revision in the immediate future. American industries are booming or likely to begin to do so at a rapid rate. Most countries are so depleted in material and so urgently in need of replacements that it would seem that there is abundant prospect of commerce and trade for all."

But Mr. Mondell, house republican leader, who boasted of the "pop-gun" bills that his party "brought" Senator Penrose, so contemptuously derided, has not yet been whipped into line, as is indicated by his recent comments on

President Wilson's message to congress, which was diametrically opposed to the views expressed by Johnson and Penrose.

Meanwhile, the non-partisan federal tariff commission is studying how to protect both American manufacturers and American consumers, and is at the call of republican tariff tinkers, but it is not likely to satisfy the reactionary republican sentiment by favoring any radical increase in the tariff schedules or any changes likely to dislocate at this critical period, some of our more important sources of trade.

LET ALL VOTE

Tomorrow, the citizens of Lowell will be called upon to elect a mayor, two commissioners and two members of the school board. It is customary for the friends of good government to criticize everything that does not please them in the administration of our city affairs and yet it is found that on election day, a number of these same critics are veritable "slackers" in the matter of going to the polls and doing their duty in helping elect the best men on the ticket.

The electorate of Lowell has been severely criticized in recent years for choosing officials who seemed to have no knowledge of business affairs and who had a knack of keeping the city before the public in a very unflattering way during their incumbency. In this manner our city loses prestige; and it remains for the voters to decide whether they favor such methods or prefer those which indicate sound judgment and business experience. It is true, of course, that citizens will differ in their opinions of the various candidates seeking election; but it is an obligation binding upon every citizen to go to the polls and vote for the candidates he believes will best serve the interests of the city.

The appeal, therefore, is for every voter to go to the polls tomorrow and register his choice for mayor, two commissioners and two members of the school board.

There is a license question on the ballot, but judging from the present outlook, it makes very little difference how the people vote on this question. With national prohibition at hand, no city in the country can have the right to sell liquor. The vote, therefore, can only indicate the sentiment of the people upon the license question unless the prohibition amendment be overturned by the supreme court of the United States.

GETTING OUT OF DEBT

There's but one honest way of getting out of debt. That is by paying what you owe. This applies to nations as well as individuals. And the shortest path out is the saving route, putting away a portion of every pay envelope, thus gradually—often slowly—but surely, reducing the mountain of debt.

It is nothing for the United States to be in debt. The only newness about its present indebtedness is its size, greater than anything in the national debt line America has ever dreamed of. But this very enormity of debt makes an early start at paying all the more imperative.

Secretary of Treasury Glass included in his estimates to congress an appropriation of \$287,500,000 toward a sinking fund which ultimately is to retire the national debt. Other secretaries have urged other congresses to endorse the sinking fund debt-paying method, business-like and certain. Other congresses preferred the more shiftless program of paying a debt when there was no other place to put the money. The systematic debt-decreasing scheme never appealed to the pork-barrel congressman.

In the meantime the nation—that means all of us—will continue paying over a billion dollars a year interest on the national debt. This interest will be collected from the people in the form of taxes, direct and indirect. It will dwindle only as the principal is reduced.

The present congress should inaugurate the national debt-paying fund at this session, too. The only question should be as to the initial and annual totals which we will put into the sinking fund. The sum suggested by Glass, \$287,500,000, doesn't seem large enough. Couldn't we cut down the debt by half a billion a year?—N.E.A.

SEEN AND HEARD

Well, can't kick much about December's brand of weather—yet.

Speak your last word, gentlemen, for tomorrow seals your fate.

The Lawrence woman who spent \$12.75 for clothes for her daughter's

MRS. LEWIS OF BROOKLYN

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Brooklyn, N. Y.—"For one year I was miserable from a displacement, which caused a general run-down condition with headaches and pains in my side. My sister induced me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I found it helped me very much and such a splendid tonic that I am recommending it to any woman who has similar troubles."



MRS. J. MERCIER

Such conditions as Mrs. Lewis suffered from may be caused by a fall or a general weakened run-down condition of the system, and the most successful remedy to restore strength to muscles and tissue and bring about a normal healthy condition—has proved to be this famous root and herb medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

The letters constantly being published from women in every section of this country prove beyond question the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It is probably one of the front-rank agitators for a lowered cost of living.

Now that the teachers' and mill operatives have had their pay raised we suspect that some of those good-looking new bank buildings that are rearing their frames aloft will have a chance to prove useful as well as ornamental.

Her Turn First

"If yoh hushan beats yoh, mebbe yoh kin hab him sent to de whippin'-post," said Mrs. Polomac-Jackson.

"If mah husband avah beats me," said Mrs. Tolliver Grapevine, "day kin sen him to de whippin'-post if they wants to, but dey'll have to wait till he gets out'n de hospital."—Pinehurst Outlook.

Putting Her at Ease

While a Los Angeles publisher was abroad a few months ago with a newspaper crowd, he was invited along with the remainder of the party to dine with a duke and duchess who were burdened with a double last name, such as Kelly-Angus. The Californian was in an awful stew from the time the dinner started as how he should address the hostess in case he fell into conversation with her, but finally, when the opportunity came, he proved himself every inch a diplomat. The duchess, it seemed, was apologizing for the dinner not being more formal, or something like that, and the newspaperman, desiring to make her feel at ease, just reached his right hand across the table, took the hostess by the hand, and said: "Oh, that's all right, Mrs. Kelly, all of us like good home cooking."—Washington Star.

TH For Tat

The young man rolled his eyes as he entered the editorial sanctum.

"Here is a poem which you may publish in your paper. I dashed it off in an idle moment and you will perhaps find it a little rough. You can make any correction you please."

"Thank you," said the editor. "I will give you a check for it at once."

"You are very kind," I shall be delighted."

"Many thanks," said the poet. "I will bring you some more poems."

He had reached the door when suddenly he turned.

"Excuse me, but you've forgotten to fill up this check."

"Oh, that's all right," said the editor. "I have given you a check in its rough state, as it were. You can make any correction you please."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

A Melodious Soul

The artistic temperament will manifest itself, no matter what sordid kind of work the owner of the artistic temperament may be engaged in. A Los Angeles business man was having his shoes shined, and the young negro wielding the brush and polishing rag was putting a high degree of jazz into his labor. Especially with the shining rag was he able to fetch forth an alluring combination of sounds. But the material-minded business man noted that the jazz manipulations of the rag resulted in a lowered efficiency in the matter of the shine. About two-thirds of the negro's operation went into the production of jazz, leaving only a rather unsatisfactory one-third for the production of a glossy shine.

"A little less jazz and a little more

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They are always sold in boxes of fifty pills, 50 cents box, 6 boxes for \$2.50. See that the name of the "Franco American Chemical Company Limited" is on every box.

shine would be better, boy," advised the business man.

"Ah, can't change mah movements, mistah," was the reply. "Cause Ah've got a melodious soul."—Los Angeles Times.

Veracity

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'Twas an elegant morning one fine winter day On the Fourth of July.

And the sun was that hot that the edge boiled away

And the contents spilled over the sky.

Well, as I was a-tellin', the first streaks of dawn

Came out out of the west.

When Tippy O'Brien got up and put on his breeches to give him a rest.

For he said to his Mary, "Me feet is sore."

With the heat of the sun.

I'm inclined to believe I can't walk any more.

So I think I will go for a run."

Well, as I was a-tellin', he just gave a was found.

His poor wife had a spasm.

For there the old sinner was runnin' around on the top of a bottomless chasm.

And Tippy turned round and he said "There's a smile."

"There's brains in me head."

So I think I will walk on me hands for a while.

Till they go to me stomach instead."

Well, as I was a-tellin', he gave a bound.

With his heels in the air.

And he put his two hands, do you see, on the ground

And he found that the ground wasn't there.

And Mary says slowly, "Come back to your wife."

As she leans on the brink.

But he keeps fallin' down and he says "On me life!"

But you mean to me widdy, I think."

Well, as I was a-tellin', or as I might say,

When the earth whirled around.

In a bottomless chasm he'd fall t'other way.

Till he landed himself on the ground.

But till he got on his feet, I'm as true as the clock

And as proper behaved.

For the lucky lad struck a projection of rock

Just seven inches down, and was saved.

—EDMUND VANCE COOKE.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Some day when you wonder just where you fit in this old world of ours and whether you are as really important as you would like to believe, drop into the city library for an hour or so and read the opening chapters of Ripdath's history of the human race. The volumes of this work have recently been placed on the shelf just to the right of the entrance to the main library. I chanced to pick up the first volume the other evening and had an idea that I should like to find out just how long this old earth of ours has been working 24 hours a day without striking and how long ago it was that people first began to breathe and exist and love and fight like the rest of us. Ripdath is an extremely clear and logical story teller and his description of the earth's being covered with fields of ice that were later melted by the sun,

How About Father?



What about his Christmas?

Fathers think they don't want a thing—just get on comfortably with what they have.

BUT—what about that old blanket wrap of his; frayed—worn thin—maybe a little soiled; wouldn't a new one be as comfortable—look better?

So many new ones here; quiet nice patterns; most of them with corded edges, cuffs and pockets. Sure—he'd like one—

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the great rivers of ice sweeping through the earth making the ridges and belts that we now call mountains and river channels is most fascinating. Life also tells of the earth at one time being a mass of heat that finally cooled off so that men could inhabit it and pointed out how there is now enough heat maintained to foster plant and animal life. He shows how small this earth is in comparison with other planets and emphasizes the fact that it takes thousands of years for just the most minute change to come about in the earth's physical character. And when I thought of the ages that have gone before and the ones that will probably follow, I came to the conclusion that the few paltry years that any one of us spends on this earth seem pretty insignificant. But it was delightfully fascinating to think that the bed of our own Merrimack river was made hundreds of centuries ago and that Fort Hill was but a petty mound when the great avalanches of ice swept over the country in the glacial period. All of which may be dry and stereotyped to those who have had to pore over archaeological and astronomical lessons, but to the plain layman it's truly entertaining and interesting.

After an absence of several days the Salvation Army Christmas kettles appeared on Lowell's streets Saturday, and I saw many people pause a moment on their way to business and toss a coin into them. The purpose of the kettles is to raise a fund of \$1000 to bring Christmas cheer into the hearts and homes of needy families throughout the city. No house-to-house soliciting will be done by the local corps this year, but the kettles will be seen on down town streets almost every day from now until Christmas. The plan, as unfolded by Adjt. Klepsig, is to distribute Christmas baskets to every needy family in the community, and also provide Christmas trees for the many young people who would otherwise have to be without. Adjt. Klepsig believes that Lowell people will remember the work of the "Salles" overseas and see to it that the kettles are filled high and often.

MRS. LIVINGSTON SPEAKER

Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingston spoke at the vesper service at the Young Women's Christian Association yesterday afternoon, basing her talk on the message sent to the church of Philadelphia as contained in the third chapter of Revelations. She said that at times the people of today fail to get the human aspect of the interpretation of God's relationship to them and that while these people want all the benefits of Christian ethics, they do not want all the benefits of Christian ethics, they do not want to be tagged with the name.

A strange custom is practised among the Eskimos. When a doctor is called in he receives his fee as soon as he arrives. If the patient recovers it is kept, if not it is returned.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

WORCESTER WINS FROM FLYWEIGHT CHAMPION OF LOWELL, 11 TO 3 ENGLAND DEFEATED

WORCESTER, Dec. 6.—Handicapped by the absence of O'Brien, who was out of the game as the result of an injury, the Lowell team fell easy prey to Jigger Higgins' crew here Saturday night. The score was 11 to 3. Taylor was the star, with a total of eight goals, a figure attained only by Bob Hart of the New Bedford team this season. Pence played a great game in goal for Lowell. The lineup, score and summary:

LOWELL: Davies Jr. Harkins Jr. Griffith c. Funnell b. Pence g.
WORCESTER: Taylor c. Clapp-Higgins b. Foley g. Mallory

FIRST PERIOD
Worcester Taylor 1.00
Worcester Taylor 1.32
Lowell Griffith 5.01
Worcester Taylor 3.15
Worcester Taylor 3.45
Worcester Higgins 3.59
Worcester Taylor 1.03

SECOND PERIOD
Worcester Higgins 10.37

THIRD PERIOD
Lowell Griffith 4.48
Worcester Taylor 1.38
Worcester Taylor 3.14
Worcester Donnelly 3.19
Lowell Davies 3.08
Worcester Taylor 3.39

Summary: Score: Lowell 3, Worcester 11. Rushes: Taylor 13, Davies 3, Staps, Mallory 76, Pence 72. Fouls: Higgins, Donnelly, Funnell, Griffith, Burke.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Salem	21	16	56.8
New Bedford	19	17	52.8
Worcester	18	18	51.4
Fall River	18	17	51.3
Lowell	17	20	46.0
Lawrence	13	22	37.1

SATURDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS

Worcester 11, Lowell 3.
Lawrence 5, Providence 2.
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FOR CARPENTIER-

DEMPSEY BOUT

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Two flattering offers for a match between Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, and Georges Carpentier, premier boxer of Europe, have been received by Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager. Kearns sent the following telegram to the Associated Press yesterday:

"Just received cable from Edward Cochrane, the English promoter, offering \$175,000 to meet Carpentier there. Also have offer from Tortorich, the New Orleans promoter, of \$150,000 for Dempsey's end, to box Carpentier. Dempsey is making a motion picture here but is doing light training every day and will be willing and ready to defend his title as quick as Carpentier or any other suitable opponent, the public demands to fight Dempsey, can be arranged. Would much prefer fighting in America than going to Europe but will accept the best offer."

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EAST AND WEST

Haverhill High School Defeats Chicago Team

(Special to The Sun)

HAVERHILL, Dec. 5.—The football team of Englewood high school of Chicago attempted to match western style football against the eastern brand as exploited by Haverhill high in the stadium Saturday afternoon and came out second best by the score of 27 to 14.

Heralded as true exponents of the spectacular open game, the Chicago eleven was beaten at just this style of play and instead of Englewood being the aggressor, Haverhill took the reins and by a baffling program of wide end runs, trick formations and clever rushes outshone the visitors at every turn. The pre-game dope received a jolt for nobody believed that Haverhill would rise to such dizzy heights in this inter-sectional conflict and the outcome of the game shows conclusively that the shoe fits and is even better than their press agent painted them.

It was not a grueling battle of desperately fighting teams; there was no last ditch stand in the shadow of the goal posts to mark either eleven as a crowd of gamblers, nor was there any succession of line-tearing plays in which a fast driving back meets a low charging forward line. In fact, the opposing lines were too strong to allow any such attack, so each quarterback aimed his plays at the wings or

overhead and the result was a game of brilliant individual accomplishment, thrilling in the extreme and soul-delighting for the 3000 spectators who filled every nook and cranny of the stadium stands.

As in all other games played by Haverhill this year, one man, Quarterback Parisien, stood out head and shoulders above the fans and opponents. Never, however, has this youthful star of 17 summers, shown with such brilliancy as on Saturday. Largely to him Haverhill attributed her success. He was a high-geared terror on attack, a slippery, elusive, lightning fast quarterback, and his sweeping dashes up and down the field completely demoralized the Chicago eleven and left it weak and gasping after futile attempts to cut him down.

Twice in the opening period after Haverhill had recovered an Englewood fumble and converted it into a touchdown. His speed was terrific and no of 25 and 30 yards, but his crowning effort came scarcely two minutes after the second half had begun. Haverhill had the ball well inside her own territory and after one play had failed to gain, the brown line spread out to the left, leaving Parisien standing alone five yards back of center. He took the ball on a direct pass and was off like a thunderbolt. He crossed the field at right angles to within a few yards of the goal line, then swung sharply to the right and flew straight down the field 25 yards for a touchdown. His speed was terrific and no Englewood player was able to get within ten yards of him at any time during the run.

Less than three minutes later this same dashing kid turned the other end for another score. Without a doubt he is the best third year player in eastern elementary schools and Haverhill is to have his services for two more seasons as he is only a sophomore.

Whatever breaks there were in the game went to Haverhill, either because waited for the visitors to make mistakes and then never failed to take full advantage of them. Englewood looked apathetic at times. Its forward line was heavy but did not charge, rather preferring to play high

in an attempt to diagnose the play than to crash through and smear it. It was a team of leisurely young gentlemen, which undoubtedly knew better football than it displayed.

Just once during the four quarters did Englewood give the fans a glimpse of western tactics and this taste left craving for more which was not to come. With the ball in his possession on his own 45 yard line, the Chicago quarterback, Foltz, unloaded two magnificent forward passes, which carried the leather exactly 55 yards and across the goal line. Each was a gem of purest ray serene and had the Haverhill defense smothered completely. Although Foltz tried similar passes during the fourth period, he could not make them go right. In fact, one of these aerial attempts toward the close of the game was intercepted by Downs. Haverhill left half on Englewood's 35-yard line. Downs then shot through for a first down on the 25 and Parisien wiggled past the secondary defense as far as the 6-yard stripe. Two plunges by LeGacey scored the touchdown.

After watching the game we could not help wondering what the Lowell eleven must have looked like on the day it held Haverhill to a 0-0 score. Conway said they fought like demons—they sure did, if they held this brown steamroller in check.

O.M.I. CADETS TO MEET TONIGHT

There will be an important meeting of the O.M.I. Cadets this evening at the armory in High street at 8 o'clock. Plans will be discussed for the anniversary celebration to be held Wednesday evening and Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O.M.I., the spiritual director, will be on hand. All former as well as present members of the Cadets are asked to be present. A brief calisthenic drill will precede the meeting.

INDIANS OF LOWELL LOST AT PROVIDENCE

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 5.—The Providence Steam Rollers stopped the Lowell Indians, 12 to 7, yesterday afternoon. It was the visitors' first defeat in nine games.

Liston scored in the first period when he recovered a fumble on the Rollers' 25-yard line and ran for a touchdown. Mahoney of the Rollers blocked a punt and made a touchdown.

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AIRDAL LOST AND FOUND

A valuable airdale dog owned by P. Clough of 253 Ocean street, Lynn, was found roaming about the streets of this city this morning and taken to the police station stable. Assistant Agent Gilmore of the Humane society was notified and he is informed the owner of the dog. It is not known how the dog happened to be lost in this city. The animal wears a collar bearing the inscription "P. Clough, 253 Ocean street, Lynn," hence the identity of the owner.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The department of justice is confronted with "increasingly dangerous radical activities," Attorney General Palmer said in his annual report submitted today to congress.

Mr. Palmer did not go into details as to "red" activities in general, but said that of the total of 365,295 index record cards, 71,000 Bertillon records and 262,772 fingerprint records now in the department, some 60,000 represented data concerning "reds" and their work. He mentioned that the department had increased steadily its contributory sources of investigation, adding that this meant better facilities for running down persons whose lives bore marks of crime.

Mr. Palmer said that while other government agencies during the past year were rounding out their labors incident to the war, his department found itself only half way through its scores of investigations and litigated questions. Countless hundreds of claims growing out of the war have been made against the government, he said, and must be fought through the courts. Cases in which the government seeks to recover funds paid out through error or fraud provide another source of supply for litigation. Alleged infringement of patent rights by the government in its manufacture of war materials as well as similar claims arising from private manufacture of war supplies on the cost-plus arrangement, also puts litigation on shoulders of the department's staff.

The department policy of resuming prosecution of trusts has restored to activity other investigations and crime proving machinery, the attorney general added.

In addition to these, Mr. Palmer said, the department will be burdened for months to come with its prosecution of violators of the sedition and selective service acts. Under the latter, the number of cases runs high, he said. Department agents are engaged now in

gathering all necessary data through records of local draft boards which have been assembled in Washington and prosecution of the cases will proceed immediately upon completion of that work.

Investigations and trial arguments during the war have shown loopholes in many statutes, Mr. Palmer said. He called attention to the fact that, under existing law, it is not a crime to send threatening letters through the mails unless in furtherance of a scheme to defraud or as a means of extortion. Pointing out that letters threatening personal injury or destruction of property may be sent with impunity, he urged revision of the law to cover such cases.

Mr. Palmer said also there was great need for statute providing punishment for an individual attempting to defraud the United States. Present statutes, he said, provide punishment only in the event that two or more persons conspire to defraud the government.

Recommendation also was made that criminal procedure be changed to make more simple the removal of indicted persons to the districts where the indictments were returned. He described the present system as "gravely defective," and as making removal proceedings "infinitely more cumbersome" than extradition.

The attorney general recommended creation of a pardon and parole board of three fully empowered to handle all pardon and parole cases thus relieving the attorney general's office of duties "which are becoming increasingly heavy and onerous." Jurisdiction of penal institutions also should be vested in this board, he said.

LAWRENCE BOY ARRESTED

Accused of several breaks in Andover and suspected of breaking and entering some camps in Tyngsboro recently, Arthur Berthiaume, 16, of Lawrence was arrested late Saturday by Patrolmen Hamilton and J. Sullivan. He was later returned to the industrial school at Shirley, from which he had been paroled.

Lifeboats were invented by Mr. Greathead, an Englishman, who received a premium from parliament in May, 1802.

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SEEK INJUNCTION AGAINST NEW CHURCH

Michael J. Husson, Louis Yearid, Michael and 12 other prominent members of the local Syrian community have filed a bill in equity with the superior court against George Husson and nine other Syrians of this city and Albert P. Langtry, secretary of the commonwealth for an injunction against the issuing by the secretary of state to the other defendants of a certificate of incorporation under the name of St. George Syrian Orthodox church, and to prevent the defendants, except Langtry, from interfering with the use, by the society of the church at Fletcher and Bowler streets as a place of worship.

The petitioners allege that Michael Anasara, George Husson, Najeh Hayeck and Louis Yearid hold the title to the church property in trust for the benefit of "a corporation to be organized under the laws of Massachusetts" and to be known as the "St. George Syrian Orthodox church." That the church has been paid for, altered and beautified with funds contributed by members of the society to which the plaintiffs belong, consisting on Nov. 30, last of 20 members. That on that date five of the defendants seceded from the society and together with the other defendants are now attempting to secure a certificate of incorporation under the name of St. George Syrian Orthodox church, in order to obtain control of the church property and to deprive the society of its church, taking advantage of the terms of the declaration of trust, which provide that the trustees shall hold the property for the benefit of a corporation to be organized under the name of St. George Syrian Orthodox church.

It is also alleged that the defendants have already applied for a certificate of incorporation under that name and an injunction is being sought against the secretary of the commonwealth from issuing a certificate of incorporation to the defendants. The bill was filed with Justice Raymond, who has issued a temporary injunction and has set Thursday, Dec. 11, as the date for a hearing to be held in Boston.

MEETING OF FRENCH SPEAKING VOTERS

Instead of talking politics as was expected, the French-speaking voters of this city at their annual meeting held yesterday afternoon at the C.M.A. C. hall in Pawtucket street, talked finances. There were about 300 voters present at the meeting, which was called to order at 2 o'clock by President Joseph Payette of the executive committee and not one seemed inclined to discuss politics. Of course there was a reason, for at the opening of the meeting the chairman announced that the use of the hall had been granted for the purpose of electing officers and nothing else.

In the course of the afternoon a committee of five consisting of the following was appointed to bring in a list of candidates for the various positions on the executive committee: Joseph Provost, Onesime Tremblay, Arthur Genest, Telephore Malo and Arthur Pelletier.

While these men were making their choice of candidates interesting remarks were made by L. J. Corneller, Dr. Rodrigue Mignault, L. P. Turcotte, David A. Parthenais, Maxime Lapine and others and all urged that a strong organization be formed and that financial backing be given the organization. A list of subscriptions was started and headed by subscriptions of \$50 from Rodrigue Mignault and Henry Achin, Jr., the list at the close of the meeting totaled \$258.23.

The election committee submitted a long list of candidates, but most of those whose names appeared on the list declined the honor of election and finally the list was thinned down to the following, who were unanimously elected:

Onesime Tremblay, president; Tancred L. Blanchette, secretary; Ernest Verville, treasurer; Joseph A. Plante, William Vincent, Frank X. Dostalei and Charles Noge, directors. The new officers were inducted into office by Rep. Achin and the meeting was brought to a close.

TEACHING SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

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It was voted to hold the next conference at All Saints' church, Methuen, next spring.

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Through the days of unrest and high prices, when necessary demands often times exert a powerful influence over the purse strings, Lowell people have maintained a propensity toward thrift and conservation. Money on deposit in local savings banks is the barometer by which the condition may be gauged and at the present time Lowell people have on account more than \$54,000.00 in savings. This does not include Liberty bonds or war savings stamps.

The seven Lowell savings institutions show a total of 115,423 depositors, which is a gain of 441 over the number reported a year ago. The gain in the amount of money saved compared to the figures of last year amounts to \$5,152,772.31.

WAMENET LODGE

At a recent meeting of the members of Wamnet lodge, 25, K. of P., the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Chancellor, commander, F. N. Gould; vice-chancellor, Wm. H. Melbury; master of work, Abraham S. Goldman; prelate, Paul Plumer; keeper of records and seal, Clarence S. Trask; master of finance, Adelbert H. Abbott; master of exchequer, Alexis L. Fecteau; master at arms, Samuel Moltram; inner guard, Harry Johnson.

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The seven Lowell savings institutions show a total of 115,423 depositors, which is a gain of 441 over the number reported a year ago. The gain in the amount of money saved compared to the figures of last year amounts to \$5,152,772.31.

WAMENET LODGE

At a recent meeting of the members of Wamnet lodge, 25, K. of P., the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Chancellor, commander, F. N. Gould; vice-chancellor, Wm. H. Melbury; master of work, Abraham S. Goldman; prelate, Paul Plumer; keeper of records and seal, Clarence S. Trask; master of finance, Adelbert H. Abbott; master of exchequer, Alexis L. Fecteau; master at arms, Samuel Moltram; inner guard, Harry Johnson.

SEC. DANIELS' REPORT

Tells of Remarkable Progress
of United States Navy
During the War

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Incomparably stronger and more efficient than ever before, the American navy emerged from the world war "second only to that of Great Britain and far in advance of any other foreign navy in ships, in men, and every element of strength," Secretary Daniels declared yesterday in his annual report.

With 18 capital ships—12 super-dreadnaughts and six giant battle cruisers under construction, all representing the last word in naval construction, and several superior to any fighting vessels now in commission, the navy is "pressing forward to greater things," Mr. Daniels said.

Recommendations by the secretary for the betterment of the service included:

Extension of the course at the Naval Academy to five years so the midshipmen may spend one year afloat as enlisted men.

Immediate enlargement of the naval establishment on the Pacific coast to take care of the new Pacific fleet.

Temporary increases in pay of officers and enlisted men and increases in amounts allowed for commutation of quarters and other allowances.

Government control of wireless communication.

Expansion of the naval air service and continuation of the present policy of a separate air service for the navy.

Construction of new buildings, including a new Memorial chapel at the Naval Academy.

Change the names of the bureaus of navigation and steam engineering to personnel and engineering bureau, respectively.

Mr. Daniels made no recommendations to an annual building program, explaining that the recommendations of the navy general board were under consideration and that estimates would be prepared soon for presentation to congress.

The actual cost of the navy to the nation during the war was placed by the secretary at \$2,382,000,000. During the next fiscal year, he said, the navy's needs will be approximately \$573,131,251, or approximately \$10,000,000 less than the sum asked for during the present fiscal year.

Commenting on the construction records during the war, the secretary said that during the 12 months ended last Oct. 1, 159 vessels of all classes were completed for the navy. These included 103 destroyers, one battleship, 32 submarines and 52 Eagle boats. A world record for destroyer construction was made, the secretary said, in the building of the fleet at Spantum, Mass., in 45 working days.

Discussing the proposed radical departure in the training of officers for the navy, Mr. Daniels declared that "no officer can command so well as the

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man of ability and knowledge, who knows every character of service from polishing brass to the highest strategy and tactics." He added that a year's training as an enlisted man would prove invaluable to every officer and that heretofore commissioned officers had no actual seagoing training in the duties of enlisted men except an incidental knowledge acquired during short summer cruises.

Mr. Daniels devoted much of his report to a review of the work of the navy during the war and in foreign waters since the signing of the armistice. He declared that the remarkable performance of the navy in transporting troops, particularly in bringing the army back to the United States, was the outstanding war-time achievement of the navy.

Regarding the enlargement of the Pacific coast bases, Mr. Daniels said he could not "too strongly urge that congress make a beginning in the development of shore bases, navy yards and air stations on the Pacific." Proper care of the vessels of the "Pacific" fleet, he added, makes such action vital.

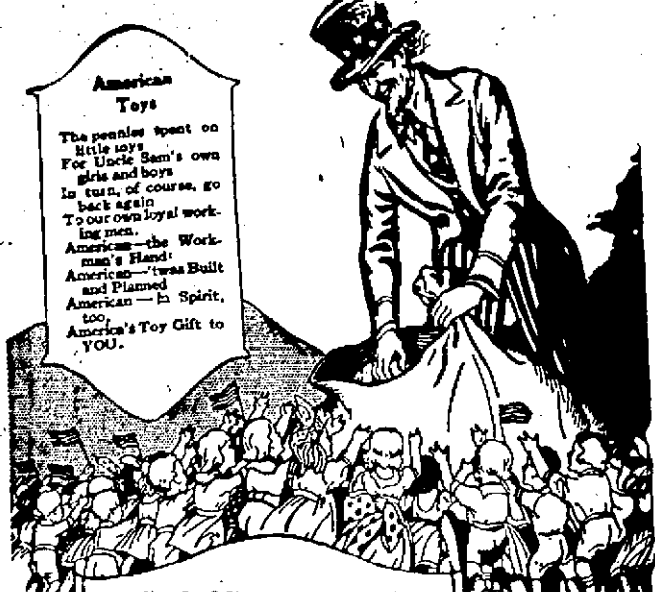
The report paid high tribute to the services of naval reserve officers and men during and after the war "without whom," it said, "we could not have manned the ships and carried on the war."

Secretary Daniels characterized the naval reserve force as an invaluable asset to the navy and urged that congress make ample provision for retaining and strengthening the organization.

Advocating temporary increases in pay of officers and enlisted men and increase in amounts allowed for commutation of quarters and other allowances, the report declared that high wages offered by the merchant marine and shore concerns were causing many officers and men in the navy to become dissatisfied and was resulting in an abnormal number of resignations.

The navy has been demobilized from a war-time strength of more than 600,000 officers and men to 132,000 of whom 5000 are reserves, the report said, and enlisted men are badly needed to man the greatly increased sea-going establishment.

High tribute was paid welfare organizations for close co-operation with the navy, and labor was eulogized for its patriotic response to the cry for increased and sustained production of war materials. Prominent naval officers, notably Admirals Sims, Benson, Mayo, Rodman and Wilson, Rear Admiral Knapp, who succeeded Admiral Sims in command abroad, and the officers who participated in the transatlantic flight, received praise for exceptionally meritorious service. The value of the Naval War college, at Newport, R. I., was graphically demonstrated during the war, the report declared, adding that "the day will come



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when one of the requisites to command of a fleet, squadron, division or battleship will be a diploma from this institution."

Salvage and sales of materials found to be surplus after the war has amounted to \$70,000,000, Mr. Daniels said, while the sale of small auxiliary craft has netted \$300,000. He added that all except 300 naval contracts made during the war had been settled.

The records of the marine corps and the coast guard during the war were reviewed and highly praised and the proposed transfer of the latter service from the treasury department to the navy department was advocated.

Splendid results have been accomplished by naval administrations in the Virgin Islands, Haiti, San Domingo,

Samoa and Guam, Secretary Daniels declared, particularly along sanitary lines and in the quelling of banditry and lawlessness and the improvement of financial conditions.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's Associate bldg Fire and Liability Insurance, Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

Sampson & Murdoch Co. have finished their canvass for the 1920 Lowell directory. Any who fear they have been overlooked or have moved since Oct. 15, and believe their names have not been given, if they will send same with former and present addresses to G. C. Prince & Son, 106-108 Merrimack st., they will be forwarded to the publishers. Also all churches, associations or societies who have elected new officers, changed their time and place of meeting or otherwise changed; also all those who are about to change officers, etc., if on changing will immediately send in same it will help to make our list as correct as possible.

Dan O'Neil and F. Turcotte of Fall River and M. Lane of Taunton are visiting friends here after a two years' stay in France.

City Solicitor William D. Reagan, a past exalted ruler of the Lowell lodge of Elks, delivered the oration at the annual memorial exercises held last evening under the auspices of the Lawrence lodge of Elks.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Lowell Historical society will be held at its rooms in Memorial building on Wednesday evening of this week at 7:30 o'clock. Reports of officers and committees will be read and applications for membership, as approved by the executive committee, will be passed on. Rev. Wilson Waters will give an address on "Lowell Names in Early Ohio History." Members are free to invite friends.

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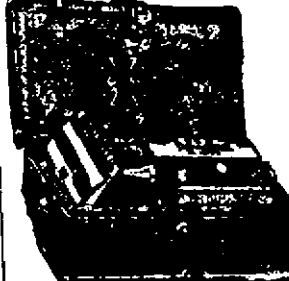
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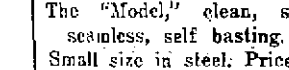
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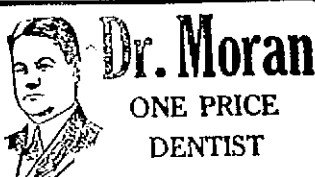
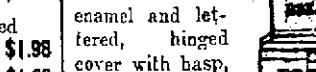
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Shape same as picture but decoration is of a wild flower with blue border. Consists of tea pot, sugar bowl, cream pitcher and six cups and saucers. Priced.....\$2.50 set

BERRY OR SAUCE SETS AND CAKE SETS



One large bowl and six small ones. 7 pieces. Priced \$1.98 per set up to \$5.98 per set

GELERY SETS



One large tray and six small salt dips, 7 pieces in all. Very special.....\$1.98 set

WHIPPED CREAM SETS

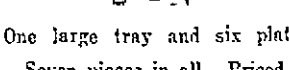
Plate, Bowl and Ladle decorated to match. Priced per set 98c

ICE CREAM AND SANDWICH SETS



One large tray and six plates. Seven pieces in all. Priced \$4.50, \$4.98 and \$5.98 set

NUT SETS



One large scalloped dish and six small dishes. Seven in all. Priced.....98c per set

Chocolate Sets

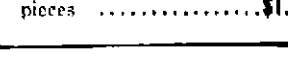
Large variety of decorations. Chocolate pot and six cups and saucers. Priced \$2.50 per set up to \$10.00.

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Jar has hole in bottom, saucer and cover. Priced.....98c set

Jelly Sets, large dish and six small dishes. Set of seven pieces.....\$1.00

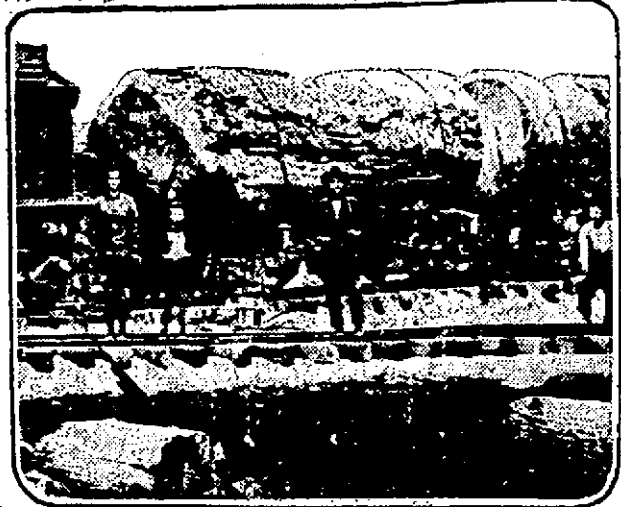
Cheese Dishes



Variety of decorations.....\$4.00

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"I commenced taking Weldona immediately and in a short time began to improve, the pain and stiffness soon left my joints. My hands got so I could use them and I have recently husked corn as rapidly as any man on my farm and working every day as well as ever, greatly to the surprise of my neighbors."

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Davis, Who Praises Weldona, the wonder worker for rheumatism

recovered from rheumatism after being almost helpless from the disease.

Mr. Davis said: "It was understood around my neighborhood that I would never be able to work again. I had tried doctor after doctor and they told me there was nothing they could do for me and advised me to sell my farm."

"Almost every joint in my body was swollen and stiff, my hands were knotted, bent and deformed, my feet sore and painful, my knees swollen and stiff and refused to bend. My arms

gested above is based on the calculation of 30,000 feet of lumber to the car.

Apostles of conversation will find little support in figures to substantiate their contention that the timber resources are being rapidly dissipated. At the computed rate of cutting—300,000,000 feet annually—200 years will have elapsed before the growth in Washington, Oregon and Montana will be exhausted. Government estimates place the standing timber in Montana at 55,000,000 feet.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The election of officers for Chevalier-Middlesex lodge, K. of P., took place at the last meeting of the organization with the following result: Chancellor commander, John A. Lambert; vice chancellor, George H. Russell; prelate, Forrest Merrill; master of work, Arthur W. Canham; master at arms, E. L. Paulson; keeper of records and seal, Frank C. Nichols, P.C.; master of finance, Charles F. Nichols, P.C.; master of exchequer, Herbert Pilling, P.C.; inner guard, Robert M. Crawford; outside guard, William C. Bowles; representative to grand lodge, Arthur W. Canham; alternate, Charles F. Nichols, P.C.; trustee for three years, Frank A. Griffin, P.

Tribute was paid to the memory of Howard C. Moore, whose funeral was held last Wednesday and interesting remarks were made by Capt. Edward



THE MODERN ATLAS



BLANKETS, THAT'S ALL

NEW YORK—Parisian mademoiselles wrap themselves up in blankets these days to keep warm. The Misses Renee and Laura Rogers showed this latest fashion on their arrival from Paris—blanket dress and blanket coat.

R. Watts, recently returned from overseas, and by Past Chancellor George W. Putnam, who served with the state guard in Boston.

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ST. PATRICK'S ACADEMY ALUMNI DINNER

The committee in charge of the annual dinner of St. Patrick's Academy Alumni association met yesterday and advanced plans for the event on Tuesday, Dec. 30. There was a large attendance and there were many indications that this year's affair would be one of the most successful in years. James J. McManon will be toastmaster at the post-prandial exercises and the speakers will be Rev. Augustine P. Hickey, D.D., of Boston, supervisor of the parochial schools; Rev. T. Francis Curry, O.M.I., of Washington, D.C., a graduate of the school with the class of 1905, and Rev. Brother Edmund, former superior of the school. There are other features planned by the committee. As has been the case in previous years, James Flannery and John F. Golden have been two of the hardest workers for the success of the affair and they have surrounded themselves with a most competent committee.

"SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL" ABLY PRESENTED

Members of the Lowell College club maintained their high reputations as producers of amateur theatricals on Saturday when matinee and evening performances of Sheridan's "School for Scandal" were given before large audiences in Colonial hall. It may easily be said that this production stands as the most thoroughly successful venture yet attempted by the versatile club women, and this, in face of two other appearances on a local stage when "She Stoops to Conquer" and "The Rivals" were given with splendid results.

Truthful portrayal of character marked the production throughout and the two audiences were eager to give proof of their appreciation. It would not be fair in the least to single out any one member of the fairly large cast for particular commendation. Each read into her lines an entirely adequate realization of the demands placed upon her and this splendid interpretation made both performances thoroughly refreshing from the amateur standpoint. The work of the cast was a happy omen upon the coaching of Miss Morgan who had the training of the actors in charge.

The cast was as follows:

- Sir Peter Teazle, Miss Jennie L. Allen
- Oliver Surface, Miss Ruth L. Sawyer
- Sir Benj. Backbite, Miss E. A. Owens
- Sir Harry Rumper, Miss Harriet C. Spaulding
- Joseph Surface, Miss Edith C. Perkins
- Charles Surface, Miss E. Harrigan
- Crabtree, Miss Julia W. Stevens
- Twiley, Miss O. E. Lawrence
- Careless, Miss E. B. McDougall
- Moses, Mrs. A. V. C. Churchill
- Tripp, Miss H. E. M. Choute
- Snake, Miss Elizabeth Irish
- Sir Peter's servant, Miss S. B. Ballou
- Joseph's servant, Miss L. A. McManon
- Lady Teazle, Miss Alice Jones
- Lady Snervell, Mrs. Katherine O. Murphy
- Mrs. Candour, Miss Mary C. Stevens
- Mrs. Malice, Miss Estelle Moore
- Lady Snervell's maid, Miss Mary Tobin
- Lady Teazle's maid, Miss Mary Tobin

The London Times stated recently that 14,000 passengers for South Africa were still in the United Kingdom awaiting steamer accommodations.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BOWERS—The funeral of Mrs. Louisa M. Bowers, widow of the late John Bowers, will take place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 27 Lane street. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Peter's church. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements under the direction of Undertaker J. F. Rogers.

COSTA—Died Dec. 8, Mrs. Anna Costa. Funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 3 Wood avenue. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Anthony's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge. Motor cortege.

HASTINGS—Died Dec. 1, Mrs. Alice Grantz Hastings. Funeral will take place on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 21 Elm street. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Margaret's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge. Motor cortege.

HANNON—The funeral of Miss Margaret Hannon will take place Tuesday morning from the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 533 Gorham street, at 9 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

MORAN—Died in this city, Dec. 8th, Mrs. Mary A. (Ward) Moran. The funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Patrick's church. The burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MOYNIHAN—Died in this city, Dec. 8th, Mrs. Ellen (Carney) Moynihan. The funeral will take place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 402 Concord street. A solemn high mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock at the Immaculate Conception church. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BEAULIEU—The funeral of Jean Baptiste Beaulieu will take place Tuesday morning from 671 Middle street, at 9 o'clock. High mass at 9:15 o'clock at Notre Dame des Lourdes church. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Albert.

FUNERALS

OUELLETTTE—The funeral of Maurice Ouellettte, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ouellettte, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, 65 Ford street. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

BURNS—The funeral of James C. Burns took place yesterday afternoon from the funeral chapel of Undertaker William H. Saunders, 217 Appleton street, Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Burial took place in McNeill's lot at St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral was attended by many relatives. There were many floral offerings. The bearers were all relatives of the deceased. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Peter Lynch of St. Peter's church read the committal prayers at the grave.

ORRACH—The funeral of Samuel Orrach took place from the rooms of Undertaker William H. Saunders, 217 Appleton street, Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Burial took place in McNeill's lot at St. Patrick's cemetery.

ROWE—The funeral services of Mrs. Celia L. Rowe were held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marion H. Snake, 27 Elm street, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. H. Shurtleff, pastor of the Adventist Christian church, officiated. The floral tributes were very beautiful. Burial took place in Dexter M. today. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

HARRINGTON—The funeral of Mary A. Harrington took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 46 Hill street, at 2:30 o'clock. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. James Lynch read the committal service at the grave. The bearers were Michael Logan, William Salmon, William Reed and Jas. Gavin.



For School Committee
THOMAS B.

DELANEY

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THOMAS B. DELANEY,
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The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers C. H. Molloy's Sons.

CREAMER—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah J. (Burry) Creamer took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 10 Willis avenue and was largely attended. There was a profusion of floral offerings. The bearers were J. F. O'Sullivan, M. J. Mahoney, Joseph McGirr, James J. Brown, William Sullivan and Hon. Thomas J. Enright. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Francis Keenan of St. Patrick's church. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BURBANK—The funeral services of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Burbank were held at the home of her son, P. P. Burbank, 14 North Chatham street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Arthur G. Lyon, pastor of the Pawtucket Congregational church, officiated. The bearers were D. A. Cronk, E. P. Burbank, Sumner Shorey and C. A. Burbank. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. Lyon. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

TUTTLE—The funeral services of Walter H. Tuttle were held at the home of his son, Howard C. Tuttle, 457 Stevens street yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Rev. Elmer F. West, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church, officiated. Burial took place yesterday afternoon in the family lot at Brentwood, N. H. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

GEORFFROY—The funeral of Annette Georffroy took place this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the home of her parents, Charles and Adeline Georffroy, 23 Sixth street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

DEATHS

GUITARD—Albert Guitard, aged 41 years, 6 months and 4 days, died yesterday morning at his home, 183 Moody street.

STONE—Joseph A. infant son of Joseph A. and Leah M. (Talbot) Stone, died yesterday at the home of his parents in North Chelmsford.

KERAMAS—Aspasia Keramas, daughter of Harry and Athesia Keramas, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 60 Lagrange street, aged six months. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

GEORFFROY—Annette Georffroy, daughter of Charles and Adeline Georffroy, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 23 Sixth street, aged 9 years and 2 months.

HANNON—Miss Margaret Hannon died yesterday morning at the Worcester state hospital after a long illness, aged 35 years. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Thomas Hannon, and one brother, Thomas Hannon of Lawrence. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 533 Gorham street.

HASTINGS—Mrs. Alice Grantz Hastings died yesterday morning at her home, 27 Elm street, aged 25 years. She is survived by her husband, Arthur Hastings, and an infant son, Melvin G.; her father, Herman Grantz; three sisters, Rita, Marie, and Ruth Grantz; seven brothers, Herman, Otto, James, George, Paul, Charles and John Grantz.

COSTA—Mrs. Anna Costa, died this morning at St. John's hospital, aged 35 years. She is survived by her husband, Paul Costa, four children and her mother, Mrs. Maria Souza. The body was removed to her late home, 3 Wood avenue, by Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

HASTINGS—Mrs. Alice Grantz Hastings died Sunday morning at her home, 27 Elm street, aged 25 years. She is survived by her husband, Arthur Hastings, and an infant son, Melvin G.; her father, Herman Grantz; three sisters, Rita, Marie, and Ruth Grantz; seven brothers, Herman, Otto, James, George, Paul, Charles and John Grantz.

LEVASSOUR—Lionel, aged 1 year and 9 months, infant son of Charles and Mary Levassour, died this morning at the home of his parents, 35 Austin street. Burial took place this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

HANNON—Miss Margaret Hannon died yesterday morning at the Worcester state hospital after a lingering illness, aged 35 years. She leaves to mourn her loss her mother, Mrs. Margaret Hannon, and one brother, Thomas Hannon of Lawrence, Mass. The remains were brought to the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 533 Gorham street, this city.

MOYNIHAN—Died in this city, at her home, 402 Concord street, early this morning, Mrs. Ellen (Carney) Moynihan, a highly esteemed resident of the Immaculate Conception parish, and a member of the Holy Rosary sodality, aged 53 years. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Daniel Moynihan; six sons, Messrs. Andrew D. John J. James L. Timothy C. Cornelius J. and Eugene W. Moynihan; two daughters, Mrs. Anthony A. Doyle and Margaret Francis Moynihan, all of this city; her father, Mr. John Carney, in Ireland and two sisters, Mrs. John Carney and Mrs. Minnie Minahan, both of Boston.

MORAN—Died this morning, at the Lowell Corporation hospital, Mrs. Mary A. (Ward) Moran, an old and esteemed resident of St. Patrick's parish, aged 64 years. She is survived by three pieces, Mrs. Thomas J. Connors, Mrs. James Walwood and Mrs. Thomas McEvoy and one nephew, Mr. George Ward, all of Lowell. The remains were taken to the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

In Korea it has been a custom from olden times to keep various sizes of coffins in the choisel (long life) palace, and to apply a new coat of lacquer twice a year.

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REQUIEM MASSES

KENNEY—An anniversary high mass for Mrs. Sabina Kenney will be celebrated Tuesday morning, Dec. 9, at 8 o'clock at St. Patrick's church.

O'KEEFE—In loving memory of our beloved mother, Mrs. Elizabeth O'Keefe, for whom an anniversary mass will be celebrated Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Peter's church.

IN MEMORIAM
In memory of our dear daughter, Catherine M. Bowden, who died Dec. 10, 1918.
In St. Patrick's softly sleeping,
Where the flowers kindly sway,
Tides that we love so dearly
In her lonely, silent grave.
She will never be forgotten,
Never shall her memory fade
Sweetest thoughts will always linger
Around the grave where she is laid.
MR. and MRS. GEORGE BOWDEN
AND FAMILY.

IN MEMORIAM
Sister Mary of the Nativity, formerly Miss Catherine Foley.
In loving memory of our dear daughter, who departed this life Dec. 10, 1918.
The midnight stars are gleaming upon a lonely grave,
Where sleeping without dreaming,
The one we could not save,
Whom we loved so dearly,
In dreams we see her dear sweet face
And kiss her cold, sweet brow
As we loved her then we love her
memory now.
Signed
FATHER, MOTHER, BROTHERS AND SISTERS.

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A special meeting of painters' union, No. 39, will be held Monday, Dec. 8, at 8 p. m., at Carpenters' Hall, important.

J. H. MURPHY, Sec.

MR. CITIZEN:
You Have Confidence in the Ability of
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In the Interest of Capable Public Service—Renew it Tomorrow

TO THE CITIZENS OF LOWELL:—

In the closing hours of the campaign, permit me a final word of appeal for your support. Out of the maze of "contradictory issues" stands one important consideration from the viewpoint of efficiency in the conduct of public affairs; the consideration of ABILITY and QUALIFICATION for office, and it makes no difference whether a candidate is IN or OUT.

You are able to judge my capacity and the merit of my public service, without any "influencing" speeches on the part of my opponents. You know without being told by them whether I have "gone through the mill" of public service to your satisfaction. Just reflect, Mr. Voter, if I have not always given USEFUL SERVICE to the city during my public life.

Let me show in one instance how "misleading" some matters are made to appear. One of my opponents, rather careless in handling the facts, says: "That the Oakland sewer cost \$60,000 and serves no purpose." In the first place, this sewer was authorized by both branches of the city council and approved by the mayor, in 1908. As superintendent of streets, I carried out the resolution of the city council and constructed the sewer, at a cost of \$31,000, instead of \$60,000, and unless I miss my guess, this sewer will have to be extended to take in Wigginville and South Lowell, within five years, if pollution of the Concord river is to be avoided. About as much dependence may be placed in all statements coming from this same source.

I have tried to serve you faithfully and well in public office. It is simply a question if you wish to continue to take advantage of the TRAINING and EXPERIENCE I have acquired in the handling of city problems. I REPEAT, I HAVE SAVED YOU MANY A DOLLAR IN KNOWING HOW TO DO THINGS IN THE RIGHT WAY, and if elected, I will save you many a dollar next year. If you vote to retire me, I will leave office feeling that I have given the best that was in me for the public service, and with deep gratitude for past expressions of confidence conferred upon me.

I am Still Capable of Rendering Efficient Public Service and ask your vote upon this assurance.

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Decide on Army of 300,000 Men

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A peace time regular army of 300,000 men and 18,000 officers was decided on today by the house military subcommittee, headed by Representative Anthony, republican, Kansas, framing the army reorganization bill. The number of combat troops was fixed at 250,000.

Chief Cary at the local naval recruiting station today. The chief has a large supply of these long-expected buttons, and will issue them to all sailors who can present their discharge papers at the local station. Members of the naval reserve force on inactive duty are not included in this distribution.

Trains Dropped

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Yahoma, where martial law prevails in the coal districts. Gov. Robertson has begun a crusade against agitators and several men have been arrested, charged with attempting to prevent union miners from returning to work. At Bear Creek, Montana, when 80 volunteers arrived, accompanied by a home, Arkansas and Montana. In Oklahoma, the employees of the Cartridge Co. at South Lowell plant, electricians and engineers at the mines

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COAL STRIKE MAY END TOMORROW

Hope For Settlement of Controversy Between Miners, Operators and Government

Expect Pres. Wilson's Plan Will Be Accepted—Submitted to Head of Union

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—"Hopes" for the settlement tomorrow afternoon of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the government" was expressed in a formal statement issued today at the White House.

The statement follows:

"It is hoped that there will be a settlement on Tuesday afternoon of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the government through the acceptance by the miners of the plan for a definite settlement proposed by the president, which proposal was submitted to Acting President Lewis of the miners, by Attorney General Palmer, Saturday night."

The utmost secrecy still surrounded the president's proposal and Secretary Tumulty and other officials refused to supplement the White House statement. It was learned, however, that the proposal made to the miners was from the president himself and was in the form of a memorandum written by him.

In agreeing Saturday to urge upon the miners' representatives acceptance of the president's proposals, John I. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers of America, was said to have frankly informed Attorney General Palmer of the difficulties he was having in view of the feeling created among the miners by the injunction proceedings and the general attitude of the government.

Lewis was said to have expressed willingness to attempt to change this feeling if given assistance from responsible government officials in dealing with men.

DENIAL BY D'ANNUNZIO

Not Preparing Expedition Against Spalato or Laibach, He Declares

Fiume, Sunday, Dec. 7 (By the Associated Press).—Gabriele d'Annunzio, the insurgent Italian commander here, assured the Associated Press correspondent today that he was not preparing an expedition against Spalato or Laibach. The soldier-poet, gave his word of honor that this statement was true.

Gabriele d'Annunzio was credited in London despatches from Dalmatian sources on Saturday with having arranged an ambitious scheme for the advancement of his cause revolving about an attack on Spalato.

It was also declared that efforts were being made to instigate uprisings in Montenegro and Albania, as a part of the Spalato undertaking, and that the Bulgarians were being urged to attack the Jugo-Slavs. It was suggested that the project, as reported, was not entirely d'Annunzio's plan, but had the support of his adherents in Italy.

Laibach is the capital of Carniola, in Jugo-Slavia.

HUNDREDS OF TRAINS DROPPED

Curtailment of Service as Result of Coal Shortage in All Parts of Country

In New England Alone, Nearly 300 Trains Taken Off—Thousands Out of Work

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Hundreds of passenger trains were withdrawn from service on the railroads of the country today, mostly in the middle west south and southwest, in accordance with instructions issued last week by the railroad administration, and hundreds of other trains had been ordered annulled on Wednesday, chiefly in the east, as a result of the coal miners' strike.

300 Dropped in New England

In New England alone, orders were out cancelling nearly 300 trains on Wednesday, dozens are to be discontinued in Pennsylvania and even Canadian railroads have felt the coal shortage to such an extent that 35 additional passenger trains have been taken off, including the crack Transcontinental Limited of the Canadian Pacific. The reduction of passenger service in the United States since the strike began Nov. 1, amounts to approximately one-third of the total, and in Canada a saving of 324,000 train miles per month, has been effected.

Measures to conserve fuel supplies went ahead today in nearly every part of the country, despite the meeting at Indianapolis tomorrow of Atty. Gen. Palmer and other officials of the department of justice with the heads of the United Mine Workers of America, in an effort to bring about a settlement of the strike.

Will Be Settled Tomorrow

Many hundred thousand workers were idle today on account of closing of non-essential industries from which coal has been withheld by regional committees and the curtailment of business hours in many cities.

Gov. Cox of Ohio called off the conference of operators and miners today at Columbus, which has attempted to settle the strike in that state. He said the indications were that the controversy "would be settled Tuesday on a nation-wide basis."

Further shipments of coal mined by volunteers in Kansas and Missouri, under protection of troops, were made today to points in these states where the shortage was most acute.

Digging of coal by volunteers also was expected to begin today in Oklahoma.

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DELAY SAILING OF THE LINER IMPERATOR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The former German liner Imperator, now under the British flag, will not be permitted to leave New York, officials said today, until the railroad administration has completed its investigation of charges that the vessel had taken on 5000 tons of coal when her fuel permit called for only 2500 tons.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—At the Cunard line offices here it was admitted today that the Imperator had about 6000 tons of bunker coal on board. This coal, it was explained, was obtained in the "regular way" by application for permission to bunker made through the channels controlling the coal supply at this port.

ALLIES YIELD MODIFY TERMS

House Consented To Make Changes in Protocol Putting Treaty Into Effect

Clause Providing For Indemnity For Destruction of German Fleet Modified

PARIS, Dec. 8.—The allies have consented to modify some of the terms of the protocol putting the peace treaty into effect to which Germany has made objection.

The clause providing for indemnity for the destruction of the German fleet at Scapa Flow has been modified so as to refer to The Hague tribunal the question whether the delivery of the tonnage demanded will cripple Germany, it is understood.

The understanding also is that the other features of the protocol most objectionable to the Germans have been eliminated, and the expectation here is that the German plenipotentiaries will sign the protocol without much further delay.

The final paragraph of the protocol, providing that even after the peace treaty has gone into effect the allies might use military measures of coercion to ensure the execution of the treaty's terms has been eliminated entirely, as also has the clause relating to the evacuation of the Baltic provinces by German troops.

The imputation of responsibility to Germany for the sinking of the Scapa Flow fleet is left in the protocol.

According to the best information obtainable the note to the German plenipotentiaries regarding the signature of the protocol, setting forth the allies' position as indicated would be handed to Baron von Ferner, head of

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WILL MOVE FROM OLD ROUNDHOUSE

If present plans are carried out, the locomotive department of the local division of the Boston & Maine railway will move all its equipment, including engines, etc., from the old roundhouse in Howard street to the brand new roundhouse in Middlesex Village which has just been completed. According to F. W. Brown, the general agent of the road, everything will be in readiness for this move next Sunday. The new roundhouse has been in the process of construction for the past year and a half and is generally considered one of the largest of its kind in this part of the country.

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Davis Square 7.00
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Indian Club 7.35
Liberty Square 8.00
North End Club (Broadway and Adams Street) 8.15
Centralville Social Club 8.30
Pastime Club 8.45
Pawtucketville Square 8.00
Moody and Gresham Ave. 8.15
Bridge and Second Sts. 8.30
Lincoln Square 8.45
Tower's Corner 9.00
Moody and Allen Sts. 10.15
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THE DAY'S NEWS FROM CITY HALL

Work Being Pushed on Addition to the Morey Grammar School

Second School Term of the Year Opened Today—Lowell Tax Books

Not a minute is being wasted in proceeding with the erection of the addition to the Morey grammar school in the Highlands, according to Commissioner George E. Marchand of the public property department. The first story of the building will be completed before the end of the present week, according to the commissioner, and work on the other two stories will be pushed along without a lot-up.

At the present time there are about 40 men working on the building, the commissioner says, and from present indications they will work right through the winter months. Mr. Marchand hopes to have the addition finished, equipped and ready for occupancy when the new school year begins next September.

New School Term

The public school children have completed one term of their 1919-20 school year and this morning they entered on the second eight-week term. The second term will continue until March 22, when the third starts. The Christmas vacation this year will begin Dec. 22 and the schools will reopen Dec. 29.

A Slippery Morning

Lowell experienced her first slippery morning of the present season today and those who are accustomed to go to work early had a fairly precarious time of it on the ice-coated sidewalks and streets. Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy and Supt. John B. Blessington of the street department were on the job bright and early ready to get the sanding gangs out, but it was impossible to accomplish much owing to the inability of the department's horses to make any headway. Finally the big truck used by the department was brought into play and the down town streets and bridges sand. By 9 o'clock the sun was sufficiently strong to put the slippery surfaces out of condition.

An Anonymous Donor

The statue of Cardinal O'Connell in Cardinal O'Connell parkway opposite city hall was adorned this morning with a large green wreath, presumably in honor of the cardinal's 60th birthday. Supt. John W. Kernan of the park department said that he had no knowledge of who the voluntary decorator was and that the same thing had occurred a year ago this time.

Tax Books for Christmas

The assessors have sent the materials for the tax list to the printers, but it looks now as though the books would not be ready much before Christmas owing to the pressure of work being brought upon the printers who are getting out the books.

JAMES E. Lyle

For School Board

Birthplace, Concord, N. H., Graduate Concord High School '88. Came to Lowell 27 years ago.

You may well entrust him with this honorary office, which he is fully competent to fill.

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WILL THIS PARTY who found a little girl's hat left on the Lowell-Hingham car at Merrimack square on Monday, 8.15 A. M., call 551-W, or at 10 North St., Lowell.

Fall Resolution Dropped

at the Request of Pres. Wilson

No Decision on War-time Prohibition

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—No decision on the constitutionality of the war-time prohibition and the Volstead enforcement act, was rendered today by the supreme court, and there was no indication when a decision would be handed down.

Arguments on the constitutionality of the acts were advanced by the court at the request of the government and decision had been expected generally when the court reconvened today after a recess of two weeks.

As Monday is the regular opinion day of the court, a decision is not to be expected before next Monday, if then.

The cases on which the constitutionality of the war-time act was attacked were from Kentucky and New York, while that on which the validity of the enforcement act was contested reached the supreme court from New York.

Writ For Berkman Dismissed

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—A writ of habeas corpus obtained by counsel for Alexander Berkman in the hope of preventing his deportation to Russia because of his anarchistic activities, was dismissed today by Federal Judge Mayer.

Trains To Handle Student Traffic

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—Students returning home for the Christmas holidays from New England colleges and schools will not be held up by railroad service curtailments. The United States railroad administration today authorized arrangements for special trains to handle the large student traffic.

IN THE POLICE COURT ANNUAL CITY ELECTION

Young Man Charged With Larceny of Narcotics—Alleged Pickpockets Held

Charged with breaking into the drug store of Harry R. Campbell, at Lawrence and Agawam streets Saturday night and stealing morphine, heroin and other narcotics valued at approximately \$20, Louis Landry, 26, of this city pleaded not guilty in police court today and was held in \$500 for hearing Dec. 15.

Landry was arrested yesterday afternoon at his home by Lieut. Maher, Inspector Walsh and Sergt. Dwyer. The police allege that a hypodermic syringe was found under the pillow of his bed, also a quantity of morphine.

The young man visited Campbell's store Saturday afternoon, according to the police, and secured the key to an empty store adjoining it on the pretense that he intended opening up a pool room there and wished to look the place over.

When he returned the key, the police say, he left the door to the adjoining room unlocked. That night he came to the adjoining store, made his way into the cellar, broke down a small wooden partition which separated the two cellars and appropriated the drugs.

Auto Larceny Alleged

Accused of stealing a Ford touring car, the property of George S. Gracie of Billerica, on the night of November 30, Royce A. Smith and Claude Davis, two soldiers were arraigned on continuance and a further continuance granted until Dec. 15. Both have pleaded not guilty and are held in \$800 each.

The police allege that the car was stolen from Brookings street, early in the evening, where it had been parked by a friend of Gracie's who had borrowed the machine that night.

A Worcester police officer testified at this morning's session that he had arrested the two doughboys early the following Sunday morning in Worcester. One of the pair had said that the car belonged to his uncle, the officer testified.

Abraham Levy and Louis Gorzola. Continued to Page Seven

Hanseh Furnished Bail Upon Which Jenkins Was Released on Own Initiative

MEXICO CITY, Sunday, Dec. 7.—J. Salter Hansen, who furnished the bail upon which W. O. Jenkins, the American consular agent at Puebla, was released last Thursday night, declared in a statement tonight that he had acted on his own initiative. Mr. Hansen said:

"I wish to say the following: On Tuesday morning last, on account of certain facts that came to my attention, which I am in no position to disclose, I suddenly realized that war between the United States and Mexico was inevitable unless one of the two governments was ready to sacrifice its honor, prestige and dignity by receding from the dangerous position into which it was forced."

"I therefore took all the steps necessary to effect the immediate release on bail of W. O. Jenkins and relieve the tension. I did so spontaneously and of my own initiative, and I am ready and willing to take upon myself the full responsibility, or credit, according to the point of view."

"It was a source of infinite pleasure to me to hear that the news of the release of Jenkins cheered our president, and I ardently hope that his complete recovery is near."

An ordinary soap bubble is said to be only one five-millionth of an inch thick.

JUDGE JUMPS TO DEATH

Had Been Investigating Facts Concerning Murder of Count Tisza

BUDAPEST, Sunday, Dec. 7.—M. Kovacs, the judge who has been investigating the facts concerning the murder of Count Tisza, the former Hungarian premier, committed suicide today by jumping from the third floor window of the court house.

Judge Kovacs had been accused by the extreme socialists of suppressing evidence to show that former Premier Friedrich had knowledge that the murder of Count Tisza was intended.

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FUNERAL YESTERDAY OF D. FRANK SMALL

Hundreds of people from every walk of life paid full tribute to the memory of a true friend yesterday afternoon, when funeral services for D. Frank Small were held at the Congregational church in North Chelmsford. The village church was far too small to accommodate all who wished to attend and therefore the church was open from 1 until 2 o'clock to allow those who wished to pass the casket. The service was conducted at the latter hour by the pastor of the church, Rev. Ambrose B. Jenkins, and at that time every pew space was occupied, with many others standing. The Mendelssohn male quartet sang "Lead, Kindly



D. FRANK SMALL

Light," "One by One," and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," with Mrs. Arthur H. Slater as organist. Delegations were present from William North lodge, A. F. and A. M., and Mount Hope Royal Arch chapter, Abazuerus council, Pilgrim Commandery, Massachusetts consistory, 32nd degree Masons, S. H. Hines lodge of Odd Fellows and the Knights of Pythias. The ushers were Messrs. Joseph Stone, William Welch, Edward Hoyle and Clarence Leavitt. The Chelmsford town officers, 40 in number, with whom Mr. Small had labored for a dozen years, attended in a body.

Huge quantities of flowers were massed in front of the church pulpit. While a blanket of white roses covered the casket. Also on the casket were placed Mr. Small's Masonic sword, his apron and Pilgrim Commandery headgear. Mr. James S. Turner and Mr. Geo. C. Moore, Jr., stood as a guard of honor at either end of the casket. The bearers were Messrs. H. Stanley Chrysler, Walter Chase, Mark Ingham, Walter L. Muzzey, James P. Dunnigan and Fred L. Knapp.

Hundreds surrounded the grave in Riverside cemetery, where the Masonic ritual service was exemplified by the following members of William North lodge: W. M., Herbert L. Trull, S. W.,

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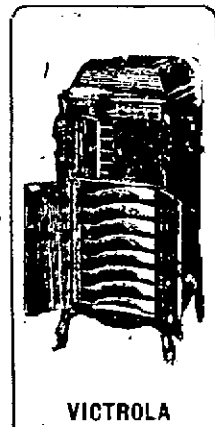
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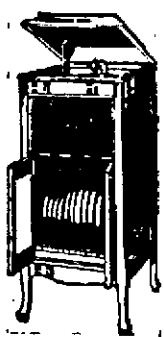
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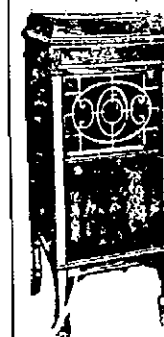
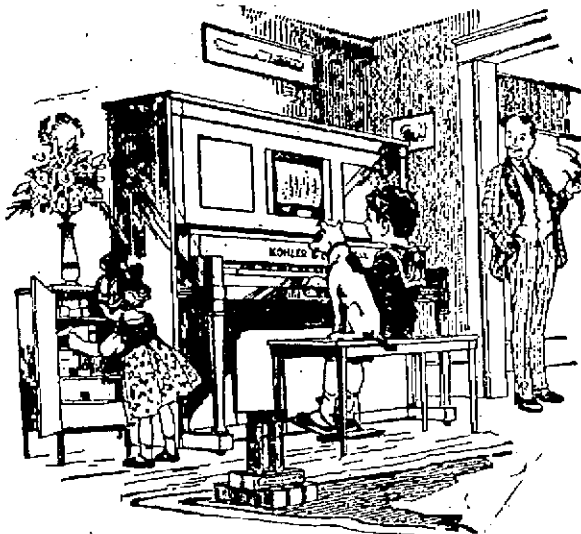


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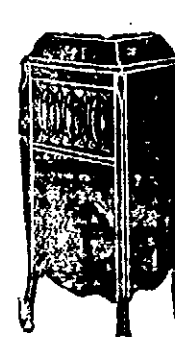


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Say Wounded Soldiers Improperly Fed

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Charges that wounded soldiers in the army hospital at Fort Sheridan are being improperly fed, were made in a telegram sent by Congressman Royal C. Johnson of South Dakota, to Secretary of War Baker, made public today, demanding an immediate investigation. Congressman Johnson visited the hospital yesterday, he said, and asserted that patients were fed under conditions "worse than any in France."

Continue War Guilt Investigation

BERLIN, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Rumors abroad that the committees investigating the war guilt of German leaders in 1914, have discontinued their meetings are entirely wrong, according to a semi-official parliamentary political news agency which issued a statement here today.

"On the contrary," the statement says, "it is intended to conduct the investigations with every energy to a conclusion."

FRIENDS OF IRISH FREEDOM MEETING

Members of the Padraic H. Pearse branch of the Friends of Irish freedom met last evening in Hibernian hall to ballot upon more than 100 applications for membership. The result of the big membership drive recently held in this city. It was voted to continue the drive this month so that a large report may be turned into the national headquarters at the beginning of the year.

The following officers who have served this year were unanimously re-elected to serve another year: President, Patrick J. Mahoney; vice president, John Gookin; recording secretary, John Barrett; financial secretary and treasurer, John P. Sheehan; orator and director of organization, James O'Sullivan and Michael and Michael Noonan; inside guard, John O'Sullivan; director of publicity, Michael F. Quinn, and trustees, Matthew James, Michael J. Monahan and Thomas Daly.

Among the routine matters discussed were the drawing contest to be held Jan. 4, support of the Mason bill in congress which provides for the support of consular officers to the Irish republic from this country. John J. Gilbride addressed the meeting and there were enjoyable selections by Commissioner James E. Donnelly.

Capt. T. G. Clay, of the London and Northwestern Railway Irish Steam Packet service, who has just died, crossed the Irish sea no fewer than 20,000 times.

Sir Edwin Pears Dead

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Announcement is made of the death of Sir Edwin Pears at Malta, on November 27.

Sir Edwin Pears, lawyer, editor and author, was responsible for revelations of Moslem atrocities in Bulgaria which led the late E. W. Gladstone, then British premier, to lead popular demonstrations against Turkish rule in Europe. These revelations were made by Sir Edwin while he was correspondent at Constantinople for the London Daily News. Sir Edwin Pears was born in York in 1835, and was graduated from London university with highest honors in Roman law and jurisprudence. He settled in Constantinople in 1873, practicing in consular courts and becoming president of the European bar in that city in 1881. His later years were occupied with writing on Turkish history during the last 50 years.

Scaffold Collapsed—2 Killed, 28 Injured

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 8.—Two workmen were killed and 28 others injured, 10 seriously, today, when a scaffolding at the Bayway refinery of the Standard Oil company, near here, collapsed and fell 25 feet. The men were engaged in constructing an oil still.

Greek Troops Hold Zone of Occupation

SALONIKI, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Greek troops in Asia Minor have advanced to the line fixed by the peace conference, according to an official statement issued at army headquarters here. The zone of occupation fixed by the Greeks has thus been completely occupied.

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Theodore Roosevelt's Letters to His Children

Edited by Joseph Bucklin Bishop

As this letter was written, a hot fight was on in congress over the promotion of Leonard Wood to the rank of major general. Wood, who was President Roosevelt's superior officer in the Cuban campaign, was vigorously assailed by his enemies and the preference shown him by the administration was condemned. Army red tape had been ripped into shreds. The president confides in Ted, destined to serve brilliantly as an officer when the time came, his opinion of some of the old-timers in the army.—The Editor.

Merits of Military and Civil Life

White House, Jan. 21, 1904.

Dear Ted: This will be a long business letter. I sent to you the examination papers for West Point and Annapolis. I have thought a great deal over the matter, and discussed it at great length with mother. I feel on the one hand that I ought to give you my best advice, and yet on the other hand I do not wish to seem to constrain you against your wishes. If you have definitely made up your mind that you have an overmastering desire to be in the navy or the army, and that such a career is the one in which you will take a really heartfelt interest—far more so than any other—and that your greatest chance for happiness and usefulness will be in doing this one work to which you feel yourself especially drawn—why, under such circumstances, I have but little to say. But I am not satisfied that this is really your feeling. It seemed to me more as if you did not feel drawn in any other direction, and wondered what you were going to do in life or what kind of work you would turn your hand to, and wondered if you could make a success or not; and that you are therefore inclined to turn to the navy or army chiefly because you would then have a definite and settled career in life, and could hope to go on steadily without any great risk or failure. Now, if such is your thought, I shall quote to you what Captain Mahan said of his son when asked why he did not send him to West Point or Annapolis: "I have too much confidence in him to make me feel that it is desirable for him to enter either branch of the service."

I have great confidence in you. I believe you have the ability, and, above all, the energy, the perseverance, and the common sense, to win out in civil life. That you will have some hard times and some discouraging times I



COL. THEO. ROOSEVELT

Col. Ted about to call on Premier Clemenceau, in Paris. His father advised Ted, as a boy, not to become a professional soldier. He had faith in his ability to serve with distinction if the need arose.

I have no question; but this is merely another way of saying that you will share the common lot. Though you will have to work in different ways from those in which I worked, you will not have to work any harder, nor to face periods of more discouragement.

I trust in your ability, and especially your character, and I am confident you will win.

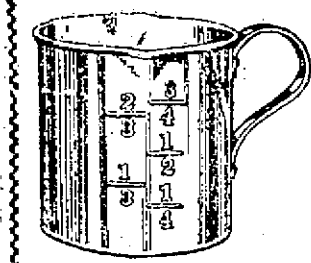
In the army and the navy the chance for a man to show great ability and rise above his fellows does not occur on the average more than once in a generation. When I was down at Santiago it was melancholy for me to see how fossilized and lacking in ambition, and generally useless, were most of the men of my age and over, who had served their lives in the army. The navy for the last few years has been better, but for 20 years after the Civil war there was less chance in the navy than in the army to practice, and do, work of real consequence. I have actually known lieutenants in both the army and the navy who were grandfathers—men who had seen their children married before they themselves attained the grade of captain. Of course the chance may come at any time when the man of West Point or Annapolis, who will have stayed in the army or navy finds a great war on, and therefore has the opportunity to rise high. Under such circumstances, I think the man of such training, who has actually left the army or the navy has even more chance of rising than the man who has remained in. Moreover, often a man can do as I did in the Spanish war, even though not a West Pointer.

This last point raises the question about you going to West Point or Annapolis and leaving the army or navy after you have served the regulation four years (I think that is the number) after graduation from the academy. Under this plan you would have an excellent education and a grounding in discipline and, in some ways, a testing of your capacity greater than I think you can get in any ordinary college. On the other hand, except for the profession of an engineer, you would have had nothing like special training, and you would be so ordered about, and arranged for, that you would have less independence of character than you could gain from them. You would have had fewer temptations; but you would have had less chance to develop the qualities which overcome temptations and show that man has individual initiative. Supposing you entered at 17, with the intention of following this course. The result would be that at 25 you would leave the army or navy without having gone through any law school or any special technical school

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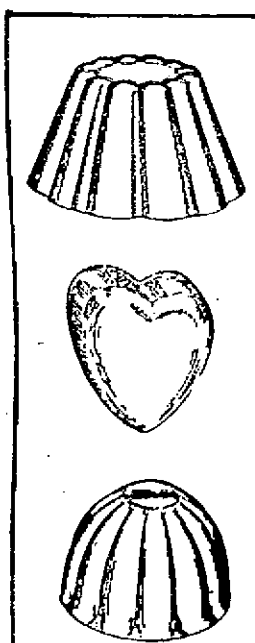
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And they are rich in fruit. Half a pineapple, for instance, is used to flavor one Jiffy-Jell dessert. Then almost a whole lemon is used to acidulate the mixture.

Yet a package of Jiffy-Jell serves six people in mold form,

and twelve if you whip the jelly—all for a few cents.

It is also quick. Simply add boiling water, as directed on package, then the fruit-juice flavor from the vial, and let cool.

Millions are using these quick, economical fruit desserts, and no home now should miss them.

Try These Flavors

Try Loganberry and Pineapple for desserts. Try Lime-fruit flavor. It makes a tart, green salad jelly. Mix in your salad before cooling. Or mix in meat scraps and make an appetizing meat loaf.

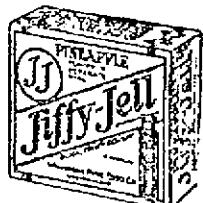
Try Mint flavor. It makes a zesty mint jelly to serve with meats or as a side dish.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton.

WHAT THE BROWNIES DID.

Nancy and Nick asked the flowers and the trees, the grass and animals and birds about Jocko, but although some were sure they had seen his red coat and others thought they had seen his long tail, nobody was sure they had seen him all, or which way he had gone. So the twins wandered on and finally they came to a very queer place in the woods where there

"Some brownies gave a swimming party one moonlight night last week," said one moonlight night last week and needed a lake, so they made a dam of moss and dirt, and when they went home they forgot to take the dam away. And now the poor little brook is running loose all over the place. It can't get back home."

And the stone heaved a great sigh which almost rolled Nick off.



"Some brownies gave a swimming party one moonlight night last week," were some big stones and a lot of dried up mud.

"It looks," said Nick, sitting down on one of the stones, "something like a creek. Only it isn't a creek. There's no water."

And then suddenly the stone began to talk. "There was water here once," it said sadly. "I was right in the middle of the loveliest little brook you ever saw. And the minnows hid under me, and the crabs, too, and once even a big turtle adopted me for his home."

"What happened then?" cried Nancy curiously.

Nancy clapped her hands. "Why, we can fix that," she cried, "can't we, Nick? We'll get the dam out of the way for you and the brook can come back."

Soon they were digging away for dear life at the moss and dirt the brownies had left, and the little brook, laughing and crying, rushed back to its old home among the stones; and everybody was happy again.

And the brook promised to let the children know if it saw anything of Jocko.

(To be continued)

REPORT OF BIRTHS

Nov. 14—To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Perreault of 801 Lakeview ave, a daughter.
18—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Landry of 19 Exeter st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dugan of 199 Broadway, a son.
20—To Mr. and Mrs. C. Macklin of 10 Griffin st, a daughter.
21—To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wood of 14 Highland st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Copp of 35 Albion st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. James E. Gill of 123 W. Sixth st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hayes of 53 Pond st, a son.
22—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson of 14 Porter st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mitchell of 1 Colman pl, a son.
23—To Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Stevens of 83 Chestnut st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Masson of 7 Ward st, a daughter.
25—To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Campbell of 18 E. st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Teague of 106 School st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Mann of 171 Baldwin st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Timothy F. Lynch of 7 Ward st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Jean E. Hebert of 52 Race st, a son.
26—To Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hamford of 218 High st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Onesimo Rochette of 9 Pawtucket st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Spores Paspostos of 344 Market st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford of 71 Newhall st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stokles of 94 First st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldman of 116 Howard st, a son.
27—To Mr. and Mrs. George Katseos of 246 Suffolk st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Simon Wiker of Calman's court, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Sullivan of 22 Stately st, a son.
28—To Mr. and Mrs. Soteris Demopoulos of 71 Dummer st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Mike Buja of 17 Howe st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Ramsay of 49 S. Whipple st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Gordon of 19 Hudson st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Papanetos of 20 Elm st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Quinn of 854 Central st, a son.
29—To Mr. and Mrs. Armand Gervais of 721 Moody st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Topjian of 137 Merrimack st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. George E. Mayall of 316 Pine st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Emilie McGunn of 4 Vamest court, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Bernard J. Daly of 23 Merrill st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leonard of 156 Ludlum st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Urie Lacours of 256 Cheever st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pelletier of 118 Tucker st, a son.
30—To Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrence Kieck of 52 Railroad st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Silva of 3 Bradford st, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. George Laurence of 208 West Sixth st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allard of 38 Sutherland st, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sideman of 103 Chestnut st, a son.



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(Advertisement)

A new mineral has been discovered in Siberia. It has the appearance of dark brown rubber and when ignited it burns with a strong flame. When placed in water it becomes a mass very much like paraffin.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending Dec. 6, 1919

Nov. 26 Joseph Carruthers, 61, septicaemia.
William Liddle, 67, cer. hemorrhage.
Margaret J. Sherry, 48, heart disease.
27 Lucy A. O'Donnell, 62, arterial sclerosis.
Emilio Lassalle, 48, carcinoma.
Joao Santos, 2, lob. pneumonia.
Richard D. Green, 12 d. congenital debility.
Emil Stokles, 2 d. atelectasis.
Henry Avila, 21, comp. fract. of skull.
Frank Gill, 54, mit. insufficiency.
Andrew J. Burns, 62, empyema of pleura.
29 Carolina Erickson, 63, diabetes.
30 Patrick D. Gibbons, 51, atrophy of liver.

Dec. 1 Stanislas Moran, 21 d. ac. bronchitis.
James L. Brown, 12, chr. par. nephritis.
Theresa B. Donaghue, 75, arteriosclerosis.
Howard C. Moore, 61, valv. heart disease.
Caroline Callary, 50, lob. pneumonia.
2 Romeo St. Amand, 32, mediastinal sarcoma.
Katarzyna Babrowicz, 44, intestinal obstruction.
William Stronach, 5 m. bronchopneumonia.
Margaret Walsh, 60, chr. valv. heart disease.
3 Rita St. Onice, 2 m. gastro-enteritis.
Charles O'Neill, 6 m. bronchopneumonia.
Thomas J. McCartney, 15 m. group.
Patrick Lally, 45, phthisis.
Samuel Orbach, 55, angina pectoris.
Catherine Whelan, 77, arteriosclerosis.
4 Mary V. Mullin, 11 m. chr. bronchitis.
John Sullivan, 43, chr. valv. heart disease.
Elizabeth J. Burbank, 53, ac. bronchitis.
STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.

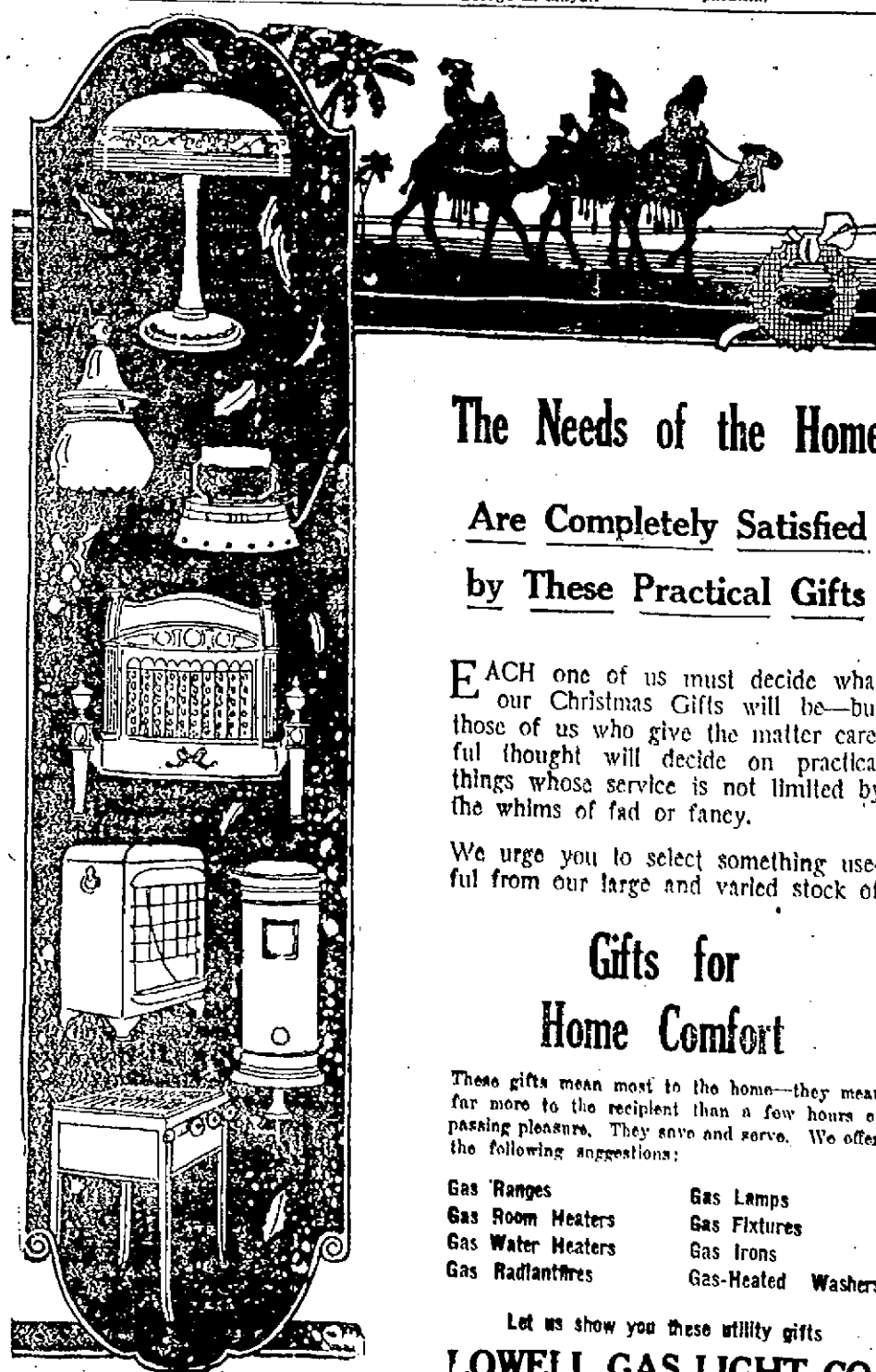
MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending Dec. 6, 1919: Population, 107,375; total deaths, 23; deaths under five, 3; deaths under one, 7; infectious diseases, 1; pneumonia, 4; acute lung disease, 1; tuberculosis, 1.
Death rate: 13.48 against 11.65 and 10.50 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Diphtheria, 2; scarlet fever, 17; tuberculosis, 4; influenza, 4.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Out of the great variety of new stamps coming from South America, the most elaborate is that from Uruguay—a panoramic view of Montevideo reproduced from a telephotograph.



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ELKS REMEMBER DEAD

Lowell Lodge Holds Annual Memorial Exercises at the Opera House

Lowell lodge of Elks never staged more impressive memorial exercises for its departed members than last evening when in common with all the lodges of the great order throughout the country it held its annual ceremonies in memory of the ten brothers who died within the year. The Opera House was the setting for the program and an exceptionally large representation of the public joined the Elks in their solemn services.

The eulogist of the evening was District Attorney Nathan A. Tufts, a brother Elks, who took "Truth" as the theme of his address and with language reverentially beautiful paid a sterling tribute to those departed and lauded the lofty spirit of the order as it is being carried on by those living.

The ten members of Lowell lodge, No. 37, who had died since the last memorial exercises were held were the following:

George M. Davis, died January 24th, 1919, aged 53 years.

William H. Cook, died February 16th, 1919, aged 60 years.

Harrison D. Hodgdon, died March 4th, 1919, aged 66 years.

Thomas E. Lennon, died April 18th, 1919, aged 57 years.

Henry J. O'Dowd, P.E.R., died August 7th, 1919, aged 62 years.

Gottlob P. Thumm, died September 7th, 1919, aged 51 years.

Martin Moran, died September 30th, 1919, aged 70 years.

Thomas E. Costello, died October 15th, 1919, aged 43 years.

J. Edward Gallagher, died October 24th, 1919, aged 62 years.

Andrew J. Burns, died November 30th, 1919, aged 52 years.

Members of the lodge occupied a reserved section of the Opera House auditorium and as they solemnly and slowly marched to their seats the Elks' orchestra played Chopin's noted "Funeral March." Shortly after 8 o'clock the formal exercises began with the opening exercises, always an impressive feature, conducted by the officers of the lodge. The stage was draped in mourning and with only a dim light here and there the effect was most solemn.

Novins' "Some Blessed Day," sung by a quartet consisting of Brother James E. Donnelly, Mrs. Bertha Jordan, James S. King and Mrs. F. L. Roberts, followed the opening ceremonies.

Then came the roll call of the honored dead by John J. Lee, secretary of the lodge, and as he read each name a candle was extinguished, symbolizing the departure of the brother.

The officers' ceremonies that came next gave an insight into Elksdom and the respect in which the dead are held. It was followed by a fitting prayer by Rev. C. E. Fisher, D.D., pastor of the First Universalist church. Next came

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TO EX-SERVICE MEN

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A Civilian Who Was Third on the List Was Appointed by Mayor Thompson, Who Utterly Ignored the Intent of the Veterans' Preference Act

WAS THIS FAIR TO THE RETURNED SERVICE MEN, and has not the mayor, who poses as the veterans' friend, established a PRECEDENT which, if followed, will be DETRIMENTAL to ex-service men in the future?

From the mayor's clandestine method in the selection of a City Auditor, does it not appear that he did not desire to be EMBARRASSED by ex-service applicants, or are we to infer from his action that there were no ex-service men CAPABLE of filling this office?

HAS NOT THE MAYOR SET A BAD EXAMPLE by his action in the two cases mentioned? How can he consistently ask employers of labor in our city to give work to the veterans when he, himself, does not give them the slightest consideration?

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS, THINK THIS MATTER OVER! Get together and discuss it as you discussed public questions in the camps, at home, and in the lonely billets in France. Think what it means to you individually and collectively.

Since Mayor Thompson can find none amongst us who are competent enough to even be considered for a municipal position, then

LET US "STICK TOGETHER" AND UNITE ON ONE WHO WILL, AND ELECT

COMRADE GILBRIDE

MARTIN E. MCCARTHY, 18 Phillips Street. Member Post 5, American Legion.

(Adv.)

There must be no slackers in our order. The world is calling every man to the colors. As Elks, we must go through to the end, with heads erect."

The speaker concluded the eulogy with a quotation from Robert Louis Stevenson's "Requiem."

The eulogy was followed by "Father We Bring Our Plea," a tenor solo by James S. King, a selection by the orchestra under the direction of Brother James H. Buckley, and a contralto solo by Mrs. F. L. Roberts.

The doxology in which the audience joined was another impressive feature as were the closing ceremonies and the benediction pronounced by Rev. Dr. Fisher. The finale was Verdi's "Aida March" by the orchestra. Brother John W. Hamilton was the organist of the evening.

The committee on arrangements for the exercises was the following: Exalted Ruler, William H. Mahan. Esteemed Leading Knight, Richard T. Robinson. Esteemed Loyal Knight, Samuel Scott. Esteemed Lecturing Knight, John T. Durkin.

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The ushers were Brothers Richard A. Griffiths, Hormanidas J. Ducharme, William S. Maloney and John J. Campbell.

News of the Churches

Masses were celebrated at the usual holy day hours in all the local Catholic churches today in observance of the feast of the Immaculate Conception, and large numbers of the faithful received communion as a suitable method of bringing to a close retreats or tridiums which they made during the past week. Special services in honor of the Blessed Virgin will be held in many of the churches tonight.

St. Patrick's
Rev. Dr. Supple sang the high mass at St. Patrick's church yesterday and Rev. Francis Keenan preached the sermon. Rt. Rev. William O'Brien, P. R., celebrated the 7 o'clock mass and Rev. Fr. Keenan assisted in giving communion. The novena which was started in this parish a week ago came to a close Saturday. The usual holy day services were held today and this evening there will be a reception of new members into the women's sodality.

Immaculate Conception
Masses were celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church today at

6.30, 8.30, 8 and 9 o'clock in honor of the feast of the Immaculate Conception. Large numbers of the faithful received communion. At 6.30 last evening the week's retreat for the women of the parish was brought to a close with fitting ceremonies. The retreat has been conducted by Rev. Albert S. McDermott, O.M.I., of Buffalo, formerly a member of St. Patrick's parish, this city, and there were large attendances at all the services.

Sacred Heart
The three days' retreat for the women of the Sacred Heart parish, which began last week, was brought to a close last evening. Rev. John H. Doherty, O.M.I., conducted all the services and there were large congregations throughout the retreat. Members of the Holy Rosary sodality received communion at the 7.30 o'clock mass yesterday. Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., was the celebrant and Rev. William H. Mahan, O.M.I., and Rev. Fr. Doherty, O.M.I., assisted in giving communion.

Vesper services will be held this evening at 7.30.
St. Peter's
Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan celebrated the high mass at St. Peter's church yesterday at 11 o'clock and Rev. Peter Linehan preached the sermon. Members of the Immaculate Conception sodality received communion at the 7.30 o'clock mass, of which the pastor, Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, Ph.D., was the celebrant. Rev. Francis L. Shea assisted in giving communion. The Married Ladies' sodality will receive communion next Sunday. The triduum started last Friday came to a close last evening with fitting ceremonies.

St. Michael's
Rev. John J. Shaw, the pastor, celebrated the 8 o'clock mass at St. Michael's church yesterday. Members of the Holy Rosary sodality received communion and Rev. Thomas J. Heagney assisted in giving communion. Rev. James P. Lynch sang the high mass and Rev. Fr. Heagney preached the sermon. Vesper services will be held this evening at 7.30.

St. Margaret's
Rev. Stephen G. Murray sang the parish mass at St. Margaret's church yesterday and the pastor, Rev. Charles

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J. Galligan, the 7.30 mass. Members of the Ladies' sodality received communion at the latter mass. The closing exercises of the triduum which started Friday were held last evening and Rev. Dr. Supple of St. Patrick's church delivered the sermon. Benediction was held with Rev. Fr. Galligan the celebrant, Rev. Dr. Supple the deacon and Rev. Fr. Murray sub-deacon.

St. Columba's
Rev. James P. Somers sang the late mass at St. Columba's church yesterday and at the early mass, celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Patrick J. Hally, members of the Holy Rosary sodality received communion. Vesper services will be held this evening at 7.30.

St. Joseph's Parish
Rev. Eugene Turcotte, O.M.I., celebrated the late mass at St. Joseph's church yesterday and Rev. Aurelien Merrell, O.M.I., was the preacher of the day. Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O.M.I., sang the high mass at St. Jean Baptiste church and Rev. Rosmarie Jalbert, O.M.I., was the preacher.

St. Louis
Rev. Eugene Vincent, O.M.I., celebrated the parish mass at St. Louis church yesterday and Rev. F. X. Gauthier preached the sermon. A reception will be held this evening for new members of the Blessed Virgin sodality.

Notre Dame de Lourdes
Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I., the pastor, spoke at all the masses at Notre Dame de Lourdes church yesterday, and Rev. J. B. A. Barrette, O.M.I., celebrated the parish mass.

Calvary Baptist
Rev. Asa R. Dilts took for his sermon topic at the Calvary Baptist church yesterday morning: "The New World Movement."

Fifth Street Baptist
"Battling for Life" was the subject discussed yesterday morning at the Fifth Street Baptist church. Rev. G. B. Marston was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the topic: "When the Individual is at His Best."

First Baptist
Rev. York A. King of Lawrence preached yesterday morning at the First Baptist church on the topic: "The New World Movement." His evening topic was: "Revolution Rumbles."

Immanuel Baptist
"The Mark of a Christian" was the topic discussed yesterday morning at the Immanuel Baptist church by the pastor, Rev. D. J. Hatfield. In the evening he spoke on the theme: "A Very Serious Question."

Palme Street Baptist
Rev. Earl T. Favro preached yesterday morning at the Palme Street Baptist church on the topic: "Custard Pie Christians."

Worthing Street Baptist
"Another War" was the subject discussed at the Worthing Street Baptist church yesterday morning by the pastor, Rev. Walter A. Woodbury. Evangelist Lockemby conducted the evening service.

Christian Science
The regular services were held at the Christian Science churches of the city yesterday and the subject under discussion was: "God; the Only Cause and Creator."

Elliot Union Congregational
Rev. John W. Ross, who has accepted the pastorate of the Elliot Union church, preached his first sermon yesterday morning to a large congregation. His topic was: "The Word of God."

First Congregational
Rev. Chauncey J. Hawkins took for his topic at the First Congregational church yesterday morning: "Is Life Worth While?" The evening topic was: "Mad Dogs and Mosquitoes."

Highland Congregational
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the pastor, Rev. A. S. Beale. The evening topic was: "What Gov. Coolidge Says to Lowell People."

Pawtucket Congregational
Rev. A. G. Lyon preached yesterday morning at the Pawtucket church on the topic: "The Supreme Things of Life." The evening topic was: "Men Who Can Keep In Step."

St. Paul's M. E.
"The Sense of Want" was the topic discussed yesterday morning at St. Paul's M. E. church. Rev. John L. Cairns was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the theme: "A Fly in the Ointment."

First Primitive Methodist
Rev. N. W. Matthews took for his sermon topic at the First Primitive Methodist church yesterday morning: "The Word of God." The evening topic was: "God's Demands of Men."

First Presbyterian
"Our Windows—Canada" was the subject discussed yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian church. Rev. J. E. Kennedy was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the topic: "Lighting Lamps Afar."

First Universalist
Rev. C. E. Fisher commented his 25th year as pastor of the First Universalist church yesterday. He preached a sermon appropriate for the occasion at the morning service, which was largely attended.

STORIES HUNT HEARS
IN WASHINGTON

BY HARRY HUNT.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—Thomas Riley Marshall, vice president of the United States, took from his mantelpiece a chunk of lava and presented it to one of his callers as a souvenir.

It was an interesting specimen, almost jet black, but with high lights of sea green and bronze, the twists and folds in its convolutions showing how the molten rock had once flowed, like syrup, down some mountain side.

"Do you know," said Marshall, as the recipient gurgled with pleasure at the gift, "I never look at that piece of lava without being reminded of Albert J. Beveridge."

"Beveridge?" exclaimed the visitor. "Beveridge? Whatever is there about it to remind you of Beveridge?" "Why," said Marshall, "they were once—both of 'em—hot stuff!"

In the Dim and Distant Future
A Japanese visitor, more than usually frank, was discussing matters and things in general with a Washington newspaperman. He had come straight from the cherry-blossom isle to the International Labor conference, on his first visit to the United States, but he spoke English like a native American and soon proved his ability to make nice distinctions both of word and thought, in his use of our tongue.

of interest; but it was not interesting!" "How about Shantung?" he was asked. "When will Japan give it back?" "Why," he said, "we'll give back Shantung. Yes, we'll give it back when England grants self-determination to India."

Last Place to Get on Water Wagon
John Sharp Williams, senior senator from Mississippi and staunch foe of the national prohibition amendment, cornered Senator Harding of Ohio the day after Harding's Ohio friends had announced his candidacy for president.

"Senator," said John Sharp, "when you move your trunks and luggage into the White House, there's one thing I want you to do for me. If you grant it, I'll never ask another favor of you as long as you are president."

"Why, certainly, John Sharp," said Harding. "Just name it and you can

have it." "Well, all I want," said J. S., "is to be named United States consul at Bordeaux." "Bordeaux?" exclaimed Harding. "Why consul at Bordeaux? Wouldn't an ambassadorship suit you better?" "No," Williams replied, "I'd rather be consul at Bordeaux. You see I've studied civilization over pretty carefully, and I've come to the conclusion that Bordeaux will be about the last place on earth to go dry."

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REPUBLICAN LEADERS MEET AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Republican leaders from every state were coming into Washington today to participate in the numberless conferences on candidates and policies incident to the meeting of the republican national committee Wednesday. These conferences easily overshadowed in interest the real purpose of the meeting, which is to select a time and place for the 1920 convention. With the arrival today of Chairman Will H. Hays and other officials of the national committee, talk about the convention city began to forecast an early decision. It was thought likely that in their conferences during the day, the leaders might virtually settle the question. Chicago and St. Louis are making fights for the honor.

City Election

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laney, James E. Lyle, James E. Markham and Dr. James H. Hoonney. Interest in the campaign since the city primaries has been confined mainly to the mayoralty fight although the aldermanic candidates have waged a warm battle via newspaper advertising. Both candidates for mayor were on the stump Saturday evening as were Messrs. Brown and Salmon among the aldermanic aspirants. The others did not make public addresses during the campaign.

Today was a busy one among the candidates. Both Messrs. Gilbride and Thompson made noon-day speeches and will cover a large part of the city in whirlwind addresses this evening. Mr.

Salmon and Mr. Brown will also be on the stump again tonight.

At this time it is interesting to look back and see what votes the successful candidates received at the city election two years ago, or in 1917. In that year Mayor Thompson won his election by a majority of 3815 over his opponent, Dr. Rodrigue Mignault. The mayor's vote was 8801 and his opponent's 4986. Mayor Thompson got his strongest support in wards 8 and 9 where he received 1174 and 1376 votes, respectively. Ward 3 gave him the third highest number of votes, 1043; ward 4 gave him 970; ward 1, 923; ward 7, 859; ward 5, 849; ward 2, 721, and ward 6, 690. The total number of ballots cast that year for mayor was 13,736, and the election officials believe that about a thousand more will be cast this year owing to the increased registration. However, if the mayor is able to maintain the vote in each ward tomorrow that he received two years ago, his re-election will be a surety.

On the other hand, Mr. Gilbride has never been tried in a final election campaign yet and only his strength at the primaries is available from which to speculate. He will, of course, have to increase his primary endorsement to win election and it is believed that his strongest support will come from wards 4 and 5.

Two years ago Commissioners Donnelly and Morse were successful candidates for re-election. Commissioner Donnelly headed the list with a total vote of 7056 and Commissioner Morse polled 6539 votes. Exclusive of ward 8, which comprises four precincts, Mr. Donnelly got his greatest strength from ward 7, where he received 933 votes. Ward 3 was Mr. Morse's highest ward for here he received 399 votes.

Richard Bradbrook Walsh was elected to the school board two years ago

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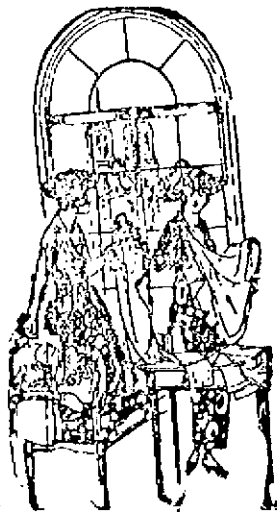
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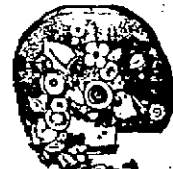
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MR. GILBRIDE:

In the heat of a political campaign one may expect a few "Wild Cat" stories, and allow them to pass unnoticed as being unimportant and chargeable to overstrained nerves. Your statement at City Hall steps on Saturday night, however, that "the bag of boodle" was opened in Ward 2 "tonight" and "will be opened in Wards 4 and 5 Sunday and Monday," is going just a little too far, and is a fair index of your capacity to be Mayor of Lowell.

Why do you select Wards 2, 4 and 5 as being particularly susceptible to the "BAG" influence? Is this your estimate of the stability and integrity of the citizenship of these Wards—that they are more easily influenced along such lines than the citizens of other wards? It is indeed poor recompense to have such aspersions cast upon them.

Inasmuch as you talk about the "BAG" being "OPENED," why did you not assume that such "INFLUENCE" would be general throughout the city, instead of being confined to Wards 2, 4 and 5? You know that a vote is a vote, no matter in which Ward it is cast.

Gain your fears, Mr. Gilbride, the vote which I will get in Wards 2, 4 and 5, tomorrow, will be an HONEST VOTE, uninfluenced except that the voters believe that I am entitled to a second term, based upon my public service. Then again, I am not so "affluently fixed" as to indulge in such a questionable pastime.

WHY NOT BE A LITTLE MORE DECENT IN YOUR CAMPAIGN SPEECHES TONIGHT, MR. GILBRIDE?

(Adv.)

PERRY D. THOMPSON, 133 Andover Street.

In Police Court

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who gave their residence as Boston and Nashua, N. H., respectively, were arraigned on continuance on charges of attempted larceny from the person and their cases continued until Thursday. The pair are being held in \$1000 each.

Other Offenders

Convicted of carrying a revolver without a permit, Domenico Milinazz was fined \$100.

On the charge of stealing \$5 from the Chalifoux Co., Emil J. Lessard pleaded not guilty and was held in \$200 for hearing tomorrow. It is alleged that Lessard, who is employed as a clerk at the store, sent through a slip for 95 cents last Saturday, when the actual purchase called for \$5.38.

Joseph Birch, a Providence youth, came down to Lowell a few weeks ago, broke, friendless and very, very hungry. Mrs. Hattie Brouette, a local lodging housekeeper, took him in, fed him, and allowed him to pay his way by helping her about the house. Then one day she gave him \$12 to pay a bill and Joe didn't come back.

In police court today Joe explained that he was sorry about the affair of the \$12. He had gone to Milford, he said, in the hopes of getting a job. And he would do his best to pay Mrs. Brouette back.

Joe's memory went back on him at this point. In fact, he became so forgetful, did Joe, that they finally held him in \$200 for investigation and a later hearing. Joe couldn't remember where he had lived in Providence, where he had worked, and sundry other

Rollins Given Life Sentence

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—Charles Rollins, who was found guilty of murder in the second degree by a jury Saturday, for the shooting of Edward C. Foley, manager of a chain store, was sentenced to imprisonment for life today. When counsel said that the district attorney's office had agreed to assist in reopening the case, in the event that an error in the verdict should be found, Judge Brown said that if there had been any error made by the jury, it was in favor of the defendant.

er details in connection with his past. Cyril Giguere, charged with allowing his automobile to stand more than five minutes in the restricted zone on Central street, paid a fine of \$5.

D'ANNUNZIO TO FLY TO AMERICA

FIGURE, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Captain Gabriele d'Annunzio plans to visit America after the Flume situation has been adjusted, he told the Associated Press today. The soldier-aviator-poet declared he would make his trip to the United States by airplane, going by the way of Japan.

"I yearn to reach America on wings," he said. "I will fly to America across the Pacific and land on your fair Pacific coast. When my task in Flume is done and when Flume is a part of Italy's realm, I am going to Tokyo through the clouds. Then I will look across that vast expanse of the Pacific, lift myself from this earth, and start toward your land, your free America, stepping from it."

land to island. It is unfavorable weather now, but it will be favorable in February and if Flume is ours I will do it then."

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Alfred Yield
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The German mission, this afternoon.

Urges Refusal to Sign

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Gustav Noske, German minister of defense, declares he will recommend that the German government refuse to sign the protocol of the peace treaty, no matter what the consequences may be, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail. Herr Noske was careful to say he was giving his personal views, but it is said his statement agreed with "intention" ascribed to other members of the German cabinet.

Charges that Great Britain and France were "deliberately planning the destruction of Germany," and that those governments "by deceit and trickery" were moulding public opinion in their countries preparatory to "crippling Germany before the crushing effect of the first treaty" were made by Herr Noske, who declared he had "lost all confidence in the pledges of the allies."

Demands for dock and harbor material in reparation for the sinking of the interned German fleet at Scapa Flow and the provision of the protocol empowering the allies to enforce the agreed terms of the peace treaty were described by the German minister as the "two straws which have broken the back of German endurance." The fact that failure by the United States to ratify the treaty may mean larger representations from the other allies on commissions established by the pact was another point urged by Herr Noske as a reason for Germany to refuse to sign the protocol.

"If the absence of United States representatives means there will be more Frenchmen on the commissions," he asserted, "it would be injurious to German interests and we should not sign the protocol."

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ELECTRIC RAILWAYS

Continuation of Private Ownership and Protection of Private Capital Urged

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Continuation of private ownership of electric railways and protection of private capital invested in local transportation was recommended in a brief filed today with the federal electric railway commission by Bentley W. Warren, counsel for the committee of 100 of the American Electric Railway association.

The brief declared that "the confidence of the investor in electric railway investments has been destroyed, not because of a temporary depression in the business but by reason of the fact that the conditions surrounding the investment have been and are now such as to prohibit issuance of either its safety or adequate return."

To safeguard the interests of investors, the committee suggested the enactment of measures providing a flexible automatic rate of fare based upon the cost of service, including a fair rate of return and a further reward based upon efficiency in operation.

AGAINST BERGER

Bodenstadt Candidate in Today's Primaries

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 8.—Candidates for congress in the fifth Wisconsin district were voted for at a special primary election today. On Dec. 19, the vacancy caused by congress refusal to seat Victor Berger, socialist, who was elected at the November election in 1916, will be filled.

Berger again was a candidate of his party, while Henry H. Bodenstadt, republican, has been agreed upon as a fusion candidate for the two old parties.

An Eleventh Hour Political Misrepresentation "NAILED"

TO THE CITIZENS OF LOWELL:

Mr. Midwood was appointed and served as plumbing inspector four months before any examination was taken for that position, and after the civil service list was certified, he being one of the three eligible men, I confirmed his appointment to the position permanently, this attitude giving entire satisfaction to the two soldiers on the list with him. The soldier whom I am accused of "jumping" being on record at a meeting of the American Legion as saying, "I have been fairly treated." The two soldiers in question evidently recognize my spirit of fairness and justice better than do you, Mr. Gilbride.

Mr. Gilbride, in your attempt to change soldier sentiment, don't forget that my son is a veteran of the war and a charter member of Lowell Post of the American Legion.

PERRY D. THOMPSON,
185 Andover Street.

LOCAL BARTENDERS ELECT OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the members of the Bartenders' union was held yesterday afternoon in their quarters in Merrimack hall. Routine business was transacted, questions of importance were discussed and every member of the organization pledged himself to be at the polls tomorrow in the interest

of the license question. A feature of the meeting was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Frank McMahon, president; John H. Burns, vice president; Hugh Maguire, recording secretary; John J. Quirk, financial secretary and business agent; Frank McNulty, treasurer, and Laurel Reedy, trustee.

FITCHBURG STRIKE LAST FEW HOURS

FITCHBURG, Dec. 8.—After a strike lasting a few hours today, 300 employees of the Louis DeJonge Co., manufacturers of surface coated paper, went back to work. They asked an increase of 12 1/2 per cent and received 10 per cent.

FRACTURED HIS ANKLE

Arthur Brassard of Moody street, employed by the Abernethy Construction Co. on the erection of a new mill for the Bay State Cotton Corp., in Broadway, fractured his right ankle while at his work today and he was taken to St. John's hospital in the ambulance.

FOUND WITH THROAT CUT

HARRISON, N. Y., Dec. 8.—The body of the Rev. Norman McKinnon, described as pastor of a church in a suburb of Boston, was found yesterday with the throat cut in the Hygienic Institute at Purchase, five miles north of here, according to information given out by the institute authorities today. It is believed that the wound was self-inflicted. Mr. McKinnon, who was 57 years of age, came here six weeks ago for treatment for a nervous disorder.

In one day the salvage ship Racer got \$350,000 worth of gold from the White Star liner Laurentic, which was sunk in 1917 off one of the northern headlands of Ireland.

In North Yokohama is Japan's largest bathhouse where one can get a bath for half a cent, a haircut for a cent and a half and two shaves for a nickel.

The gradual melting of the snows in the higher mountain ranges in Spain during the warmer months provides a constant supply of water for irrigation purposes.

ALSATIAN DECLARATION

Jean Francois Selected To Read It to French Chamber Today

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Jean Francois, born in 1894 in Moselle, selected to read the declaration of the Alsatian deputies to the French chamber today, is the youngest member of that body. Twenty-four deputies from the ravaged province met yesterday afternoon, decided upon the terms of their declaration and elected Francois as their spokesman.

"The Germans have not renounced Alsace-Lorraine," the declaration says. "The decision of the people against Germany has not reconciled the Germans to the loss of the two provinces. Germany does not understand the verdict of the election of Nov. 16 last. It is

Mr. Voter

Be sure and vote early, before going to work if possible. Polls open from 6 a. m. to 4 p. m.

GILBRIDE CAMP. COM.,
JOSEPH P. DONAHUE,
Chairman.

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CHERRY & WEBB

A SALE OF FINE WOOL

Jersey Dresses

The Good News We Herewith Announce for Tuesday

This is no common occurrence—rather an extraordinary happening. The handsome Jersey Dresses were made to our exclusive order—the styles are stunning. Some of the models presented are shown in the sketches with this ad. That way you get an inkling of the beauty and grace of these Wool Jerseys. The quality is excellent. They are made first class!

You will observe that when Wool Jersey and Silk Embroidery join forces the result is delightful—the soft surface of Jersey provides a perfect background for lustrous embroidery.

Dresses of the class, the style, the quality ---in this Sale---are regularly priced from \$32.50 to \$42.50. You will see at once by inspection that they are wonderful values ---at our Special Sale, Price---

\$27.50



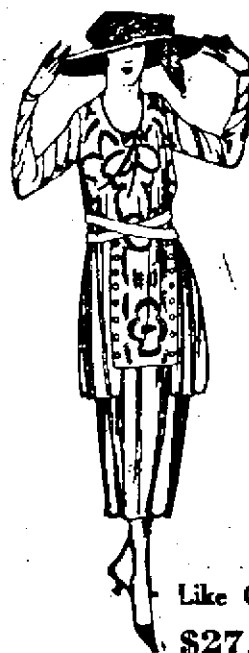
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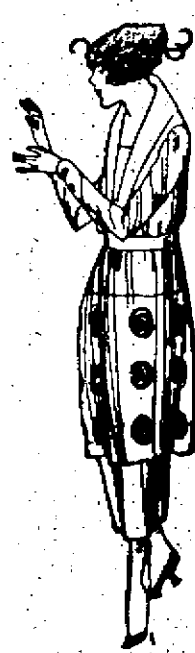
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Plenty of all sizes—from 16 to 44.

Dresses Pinned FREE!
A Small Charge for Alterations

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Sale Starts at 9 A. M. Tuesday Shop Early in the Day

That we are confident you can make no mistake in buying one of these Jersey Dresses.

You will find nowhere in this section: First—So many fine Wool Jersey Dresses from which to select. Second—Or ANY of equal value at so low a figure these beautiful Dresses are marked.

We Have Started a Little War of Our Own. It Will Be Known as the "Chester Revolution"

Read Our Announcement Friday, Dec. 12th, in all Newspapers.

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every artifice. Germany has tried to falsify that vote. For 10 months past, she has been flooding the relieved provinces with so-called autonomist literature. The nation of pillagers has one sentimental romance—the possession of Alsace is now, as ever, a "casus belli."

Germany never dared organize a referendum in her subjected provinces. France obtained a unanimity of votes at the elections, which constituted a true plebiscite, on Nov. 16. In virtue of the now universally recognized right of peoples to dispose of themselves, Germany can never again by any title reclaim the territory she held only by the obsolete right of conquest."

Premier Clemenceau, too last survivor of the national assembly of Bordeaux, which sat in 1871, was prepared to reply to the declaration.

Precedents were violated by the agreement to permit the men from Alsace and Lorraine to speak at the opening session of the chamber, but this is accepted as a good augury for the future accomplishments of the house. Even Eugene Pierre, permanent secretary of the chamber and the sternest guardian of its precedents, has been unable to oppose this violation of the written regulations, which stipulate that the dean of the chamber shall ad-

dress the house which will then "immediately" proceed to the election of its bureau. Jules Siegfried is the dean of the house, but by a happy coincidence, he is an Alsatian. At 83 years of age, he is vigorous and in perfect

health, although when a young man he owed his life to a transfusion of blood from the family gardener who died recently after enjoying a pension of 100 francs a month.

of being the youngest member of the chamber has been very keen, among the younger members being Arthur Rose Fouché and Capt. Bismarck, distinguished themselves during the

Competition for the honorary post was

Citizens of Lowell:—

FOR CLOTHES

Ernest Gauthier



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Twelve years ago I first offered GOOD CLOTHES to the citizens of Lowell. Today my platform is still Good Clothes. In spite of every effort my enemies can not point to a single misfit.

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A Trained and Experienced Clothing Official

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MR. CITIZEN—

Just think carefully before you buy your next Suit or Overcoat. As I am capable of giving the best value and service in my line, gentlemen, consider me on your next purchase as I will guarantee you satisfaction. So vote me your friendship and I will prove to be the right man and on the job all the time.

My election is your gain as I will work for your interest.

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THE MINERS' STRIKE

It appears that the miners' strike is just what was needed to convince congress that it must furnish legal protection for the people against labor strikes or lockouts which tie up the necessities of life to the peril of the nation.

The country has had a great coal strike in the past, but never any that challenged directly the power of the government as does that now in force.

This is the first of the kind to set the government and the courts at defiance. Uncle Sam is certainly in a most unusual position, with a lot of coal miners ordered back to work by the courts, yet wholly oblivious of such an order, while the industries of the country are shutting down for want of coal, railroad service is curtailed and the people are threatened with starvation unless the strike be soon called off or the mines opened up in some other way.

It is certainly time the government should not only find some means of ending the struggle but of preventing the recurrence of any such strike in the future. What are the plans proposed to meet the situation and offer security against such strikes in the future?

There are various schemes proposed, but nothing definite has been decided upon thus far. The question of prohibiting strikes in industries vital to the public safety and convenience will enter into the settlement of the railroad problem in the disposal of the bills now before congress.

Henceforth, the coal miners have been regarded as private property and miners and operators alike as engaged in a private enterprise.

The present strike has changed all this, and as a result, in compliance with a demand of the people throughout the country, the business of coal mining and railroad transportation may be declared vital to the life of the nation and any interruption of either by strike or lockout may therefore be prohibited by law.

Nothing short of this will protect the public from the menace of famine in food and fuel as often as the miners wish to strike for any cause whatsoever.

In the present coal strike, it is not the operators who suffer, but the people throughout the nation. Industries are closed and hundreds of thousands are forced into idleness, many of them with no means of support, no money to buy either food or fuel.

Is this right? Should it be authorized by the miners' unions or tolerated by the government?

When two nations are at war, if one can get control of the fuel supply of the other, it can force that other to surrender. It is thus perhaps the miners hoped to beat the government and the people and force the concessions demanded. But they will find in the long run that they have made a serious blunder. They are in reality injuring the cause of union labor throughout this country.

Strikes that affect only the employers should not be interfered with; but, the present miners' strike is not in that category. It is a thrust at the heart of the nation. The time has arrived when the people will refuse to be frozen or starved at the whim of any organization, much less that of the coal miners, mostly foreigners and perhaps many of them anarchists. The people must be protected against such perils, whether coming from an honest purpose to secure justice or the secret plotting of radicals to overthrow the government.

With all due respect to the fuel commissioner who interfered, it seems, he should have stayed on the job until he secured a settlement. He went in to investigate certain things, announced his findings and then withdrew. The miners care nothing for his views; they care nothing for the injunction proceedings. Garfield said he would start up the mines. Why does he not do it without further delay? Union labor has certain rights that must be maintained and defended, but it cannot justly claim the right to cut off the means of subsistence from the people of the nation or any considerable number thereof. It is the duty of congress to define by law the right of the people to protection against such

perils from whatever source they may come.

This duty has been shirked in the past for political reasons; but the time has arrived when the politicians must do their duty or stand utterly discredited.

Judging from reports issued last night, it seems that a settlement is imminent. The conference between President Lewis and Attorney General Palmer and Secretary Tamm, representing President Wilson, is likely to end the struggle. But the government in seeing that the miners get full justice, should provide also that some arrangement shall be made to prevent any future interruption of the mining of coal either from strike or lockout.

AGAINST HIGH TARIFF

According to quoted utterances, there is quite a schism in the high tariff ranks of the republican leaders. As little lack of team work is visible as when Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, recently scoffed at the house protective tariff bills on optical glass, etc., as being not only of the "pop-gun" variety but "unscientific" and requiring rewriting before they were fit to be considered by the senate.

"If we want to sell, we must be prepared to buy," said the president in his message to congress at the opening of its regular session. "Whatever, therefore, may have been our views during the period of growth of American business, concerning tariff legislation, we must now adjust our own economic life to a changed condition growing out of the fact that American business is full grown and that America is the greatest capitalist in the world."

In explaining the commercial situation of the world today, the president said:

"Anything which would tend to prevent foreign countries from settling for our exports by shipments of goods into this country could only have the effect of preventing them from paying for our exports, and therefore of preventing the exports from being made. The productivity of the country, greatly stimulated by the war, must find an outlet by exports to foreign countries, and any measures taken to prevent imports will inevitably curtail exports, force curtailment of production, load the banking machinery of the country with credits to carry unsold products and produce industrial stagnation and unemployment."

One of the most virulent high protectionists of the country for many years was Alva B. Johnson of Philadelphia, former president of the Baldwin Locomotive works. But, as he expressed recently in his own city, "the time must come in the life of every growing nation when it must realize that conditions have changed," Mr. Johnson pointed out, that "the United States since the world war, has passed from being a debtor nation to being a creditor nation." Mr. Johnson has changed to the extent of finally abandoning his high tariff traditions. He makes plain his position in the following statement:

"But a creditor nation cannot afford to build a Chinese wall around itself and exclude all other nations. Its advantage lies in the greatest exchange of commodities, because foreign trade, in the last analysis, is only an exchange of commodities. . . . I hear echoes of a desire to re-establish protection for American industries. Are we not listening to a false suggestion? Has not the time come when the resources of the United States are to be found in the greatest shipments of raw material and manufactured goods, and the greatest importation of foreign goods which we can consume?"

Senator Penrose recently supports Mr. Johnson's expressed views when he said:

"It is the general consensus of business men all over the United States that it is not practical nor even desirable to begin general tariff revision in the immediate future. American industries are booming or likely to begin to do so at a rapid rate. Most countries are no depleted in material and so urgently in need of replacements that it would seem that there is abundant prospect of commerce and trade for all."

But Mr. Mondell, house republican leader, who boasted of the "pop-gun" bills that his party "boss," Senator Penrose, so contemptuously derided, has not yet been whipped into line, as is indicated by his recent comments on

President Wilson's message to congress, which was diametrically opposed to the views expressed by Johnson and Penrose.

Meanwhile, the non-partisan federal tariff commission is studying how to protect both American manufacturers and American consumers, and is at the call of republican tariff tinkers, but it is not likely to satisfy the reactionary republican sentiment by favoring any radical increase in the tariff schedules or any changes likely to dislocate at this critical period some of our more important sources of trade.

LET ALL VOTE

Tomorrow, the citizens of Lowell will be called upon to elect a mayor, two commissioners and two members of the school board. It is customary for the friends of good government to criticize everything that does not please them in the administration of our city affairs and yet it is found that on election day, a number of these same critics are veritable "slackers" in the matter of going to the polls and doing their duty in helping elect the best men on the ticket.

The electorate of Lowell has been severely criticized in recent years for choosing officials who seemed to have no knowledge of business affairs and who had a knack of keeping the city before the public in a very unsavory way during their incumbency. In this manner our city loses prestige; and it remains for the voters to decide whether they favor such methods or prefer those which indicate sound judgment and business experience. It is true, of course, that citizens will differ in their opinions of the various candidates seeking election; but it is an obligation binding upon every citizen to go to the polls and vote for the candidates he believes will best serve the interests of the city.

The appeal, therefore, is for every voter to go to the polls tomorrow and register his choice for mayor, two commissioners and two members of the school board.

There is a license question on the ballot, but judging from the present outlook, it makes very little difference how the people vote on this question. With national prohibition at hand, no city in the country can have the right to sell liquor. The vote, therefore, can only indicate the sentiment of the people upon the license question unless the prohibition amendment be overturned by the supreme court of the United States.

GETTING OUT OF DEBT

There's but one honest way of getting out of debt. That is by paying what you owe. This applies to nations as well as individuals. And the shortest path out is the saving route, putting away a portion of every pay envelope, thus gradually—often slowly—but surely, reducing the mountain of debt.

It is nothing for the United States to be in debt. The only newness about its present indebtedness is its size, greater than anything in the national debt line America has ever dreamed of. But this very enormity of debt makes an early start at paying all the more imperative.

Secretary of Treasury Glass included in his estimates to congress an appropriation of \$287,500,000 toward a sinking fund which ultimately is to retire the national debt. Other secretaries have urged other congresses to endorse the sinking fund debt-paying method, business-like and certain. Other congresses preferred the more shiftless program of paying a debt when there was no other place to put the money. The systematic debt-decreasing scheme never appealed to the pork-barrel congressmen.

In the meantime the nation—that means all of us—will continue paying over a billion dollars a year interest on the national debt. This interest will be collected from the people in the form of taxes, direct and indirect. It will dwindle only as the principal is reduced.

The present congress should inaugurate the national debt-paying fund at this session, too. The only question should be as to the initial and annual totals which we will put into the sinking fund. The sum suggested by Glass, \$287,500,000, doesn't seem large enough. Couldn't we cut down the debt by half a billion a year?—N.E.A.

SEEN AND HEARD

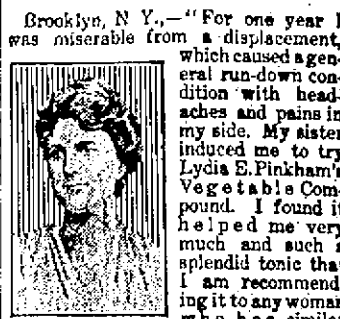
Well, can't kick much about December's brand of weather—yet.

Speak your last word, gentlemen, for tomorrow seals your fate.

The Lawrence woman who spent \$12.75 for clothes for her daughter's

MRS. LEWIS OF BROOKLYN

Tells How She Was Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Brooklyn, N. Y.—"For one year I was miserable from a displacement, which caused a general run-down condition with headaches and pains in my side. My sister induced me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I found it helped me very much and such a splendid tonic that I am recommending it to any woman who has similar troubles."

—Mrs. ELSIE G. LEWIS, 20 Vernon Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Such conditions as Mrs. Lewis suffered from may be caused by a fall or a general weakened run-down condition of the system, and the most successful remedy to restore strength to muscles and tissue and bring about a normal healthy condition—has proved to be this famous root and herb medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

The letters constantly being published from women in every section of this country prove beyond question the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It is probably one of the front-rank agitators for a lowered cost of living.

Now that the teachers and mill operatives have had their pay raised we suspect that some of those good-looking new bank buildings that are rearing their frames aloft will have a chance to prove useful as well as ornamental.

Her Turn First!

"If yoh husband beats yoh, mebbe yoh kin hab him sent to de whippin'-post," said Mrs. Potomac-Jackson.

"If mah husband evah beats me," said Mrs. Tolliver Grapevine, "dey kin sen him to de whippin'-post if they wants to, but dey'll have to wait till he gets out'n de hospital."—Pinehurst Outlook.

Putting Her at Ease

While a Los Angeles publisher was abroad a few months ago with a newspaper crowd, he was invited along with the remainder of the party to dine with a duke and duchess who were burdened with a double last name, such as Kelly-Augus. The Californian was in an awful stew from the time the dinner started as how he should address the hostess in case he fell into conversation with her, but finally, when the opportunity came, he proved himself every inch a diplomat. The duchess, it seemed, was apologizing for the dinner not being more formal, or something like that, and the newspaperman, desiring to make her feel at ease, just reached his right hand across the table, took the hostess by the hand, and said: "Oh, that's all right, Mrs. Kelly. All of us like good home cooking."—Washington Star.

Tit For Tat

The young man rolled his eyes as he entered the editorial sanctum.

"Here is a poem which you may publish in your paper. I dashed it off in an idle moment and you will perhaps find it a little rough. You can make any correction you please."

"Thank you," said the editor. "I will give you a check for it at once."

"You are very kind. I shall be delighted."

"Many thanks," said the poet. "I will bring you some more poems."

He had reached the door when suddenly he turned.

"Excuse me, but you've forgotten to fill up this check."

"Oh, that's all right," said the editor. "I have given you a check in its rough state, as it were. You can make any correction you please."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

A Melodious Soul

The artistic temperament will manifest itself, no matter what sordid kind of work the owner of the artistic temperament may be engaged in. A Los Angeles business man was having his shoes shined, and the young negro wielding the brush and polishing rag was putting a high degree of jazz into his labor. Especially with the shining rag was he able to fetch forth an alluring combination of sounds. But the material-minded business man noted that the jazz manipulations of the rag resulted in a lowered efficiency in the matter of the shine. About two-thirds of the negro's operation went into the production of jazz, leaving only a rather unsatisfactory one-third for the production of a glossy shine.

"A little less jazz and a little more

shine," said the business man.

"Ah, can't change mah movements, mistah," was the reply, "cause Ah've got a melodious soul."—Los Angeles Times.

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I tried RED PILLS as I was in such a weakened condition that I was unable to keep up any longer. My working companions really pitied me and were constantly advising me to try RED PILLS. I did so, and they strengthened my constitution. I took them for quite a long while, with the satisfying result that my good health returned. I am now married and feeling fine and hearty; I have five healthy children and am able to do all my own work alone and without any difficulty, and so am quite happy. If ever I become sick again, it will be RED PILLS which I will be sure to take.

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How About Father?



What about his Christmas?

Fathers think they don't want a thing—just get on comfortably with what they have.

BUT—what about that old blanket wrap of his; frayed—worn thin—maybe a little soiled; wouldn't a new one be as comfortable—look better?

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the great rivers of ice sweeping through the earth making the ridges and beds that we now call mountains and river-channels is most fascinating. He also tells of the earth at one time being a mass of heat, that finally cooled off so that men could inhabit it and pointed out how there is now enough heat maintained to foster plant and animal life. He shows how small this earth is in comparison with other planets and emphasizes the fact that it takes thousands of years for just the most minute change to come about in the earth's physical character. And when I thought of the ages that have gone before and the ones that will probably follow, I came to the conclusion that the few paltry years that any one of us spends on this earth seem pretty insignificant. But it was delightfully fascinating to think that the bed of our own Merrimack river was made hundreds of centuries ago and that Fort Hill was but a petty mound when the great avalanches of ice swept over the country in the glacial period. All of which may be dry and stereotyped to those who have had to pore over archaeological and astronomical lessons, but to the plain layman it's truly entertaining and interesting.

After an absence of several days the Salvation Army Christmas kettles appeared on Lowell's streets Saturday, and I saw many people pause a moment on their way to business and toss a coin into them. The purpose of the kettles is to raise a fund of \$1000 to bring Christmas cheer into the hearts and homes of needy families throughout the city. No house-to-house soliciting will be done by the local corps this year, but the kettles will be set on down town streets almost every day from now until Christmas. The plan, as unfolded by Adjt. Klepsig, is to distribute Christmas baskets to every needy family in the community, and also provide Christmas trees for the many young people who would otherwise have to be without. Adjt. Klepsig believes that Lowell people will remember the work of the "Salles" overseas and see to it that the kettles are filled high and often.

MRS. LIVINGSTON SPEAKER

Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingston spoke at the vesper service at the Young Women's Christian Association yesterday afternoon, basing her talk on the message sent to the church of Philadelphia as contained in the third chapter of Revelations. She said that at times the people of today fail to get the human aspect of the interpretation of God's relationship to them and that while these people want all the benefits of Christian ethics, they do not want all the benefits of Christian ethics, they do not want to be tagged with the name.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

WORCESTER WINS FROM FLYWEIGHT CHAMPION OF LOWELL, 11 TO 3 ENGLAND DEFEATED

WORCESTER, Dec. 7.—Handicapped by the absence of O'Brien, who was out of the game as the result of an injury, the Lowell team fell easy prey to Jigger Higgins' crew here Saturday night. The score was 11 to 3. Taylor was the star, with a total of eight goals, a figure attained only by Bob Hart of the New Bedford team this season. Pence played a great game in goal for Lowell. The lineup, score and summary:

LOWELL
Taylor 11
Higgins 8
Griffin 3
Pence 3
Mallory 1

WORCESTER
Taylor 1
Clapp 1
Higgins 1
Mallory 1
Pence 1

Reports from Milwaukee state that Jack Sharkey of New York put it all over Jimmy White, the English flyweight champion, in their ten round bout there on Saturday night. It is declared that the New Yorker outpointed and outfought the British title holder, having the advantage in practically every round.

Roy Moore, the sensational St. Paul bantamweight and Chick Hayes, the flash from Indianapolis, are scheduled to meet in the main event of 12 rounds at the weekly meeting of the Crescent A.A. on Thursday night.

Moore and Hayes need no introduction to Lowell fans and both have a large number of supporters, who will attend to cheer them on to victory. Moore came here a few weeks ago, practically unknown, and he put up such a thrilling exhibition that he made a host of friends.

Hayes will not lack for friends and supporters when he hops into the ring for his work has always been satisfactory wherever he has appeared.

WON BY

Worcester	Taylor	100
Worcester	Taylor	132
Worcester	Griffin	5.01
Worcester	Griffin	1.01
Worcester	Griffin	3.15
Worcester	Higgins	.09
Worcester	Taylor	1.03

SECOND PERIOD
Higgins 10.37

THIRD PERIOD
Griffin 6.18
Worcester 1.48
Worcester 3.14
Worcester 3.10
Worcester 3.08
Worcester 3.09

Summary—Score: Lowell 3, Worcester 11. Rushes: Taylor 13, Davies 4. Stops: Mallory 75, Pence 72. Fouls: Higgins, Donnelly, Finnell. Referee: Burkett.

SALEM AND

NEW BEDFORD TIED

With Salem and New Bedford tied for first place in the American Roller polo league and the other teams closely bunched the race for the pennant is growing hotter every day and it is without doubt one of the most closely contested fights in the history of the game.

Lowell after having a most successful run the previous week, slipped back a little last week, and dropped a couple of runs down the ladder. The team played good polo though all the way, with the exception of Saturday night when the absence of O'Brien broke up the team play and Worcester had an easy time. All the other games of the week in which Lowell figured were hard fought and The Har-Kins crew is still in the hunt for the flag.

The local team has a hard schedule this week, opening tonight in Salem, tomorrow night Fred Jean's "Tigers" from Fall River will play Lowell at the Crescent rink. Lowell lays off on Wednesday night, but will journey to New Bedford for a game with the Whalers on Thursday night. On Friday night the New Bedford team will play here. Lowell will wind up the week with a game at Providence.

This week's complete schedule is as follows:

Tonight—Providence at Worcester.
Fall River at Lawrence. Lowell at Salem.
Tuesday—Lawrence at Providence.
Fall River at Lowell. Worcester at New Bedford.
Wednesday—Worcester at Fall River. Providence at Salem.
Thursday—Lowell at New Bedford.
Friday—New Bedford at Lowell. Salem at Fall River.
Saturday—Lowell at Providence. Salem at Worcester. New Bedford at Lawrence.

SIX DAY RACE

Goulett and Madden Win First Place

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Alfred Goulett and Eddie Madden, the Newark team, won the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden which ended at 11 o'clock Saturday night.

Second place went to Oscar Egg of Switzerland and Marcel Dupuy of France, and third to Reggie McNamara of Australia and Jake Magin of New Jersey.

The teams covered 3501 miles and one lap in 12 hours, as compared with the record 2825 miles last made by Dupuy and Egg in 1916.

Defective eyes turned down 22 out of every 100 men who tried to enter the United States army.

FOR CARPENTIER-DEMPSEY BOUT

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Two flatterings offers for a match between Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, and Georges Carpentier, premier boxer of Europe, have been received by Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager. Kearns sent the following telegram to the Associated Press yesterday:

"Just received cable from Edward Cochrane, the English promoter, offering \$175,000 to meet Carpentier there. Also have offer from Tortorich, the New Orleans promoter, of \$150,000 for Dempsey's end to box Carpentier. Dempsey is making a motion picture here but is doing light training every day and will be willing and ready to defend his title as quick as Carpentier or any other suitable opponent, the public demands to fight Dempsey, can be arranged. Would much prefer fighting in America than going to Europe but will accept the best offer."

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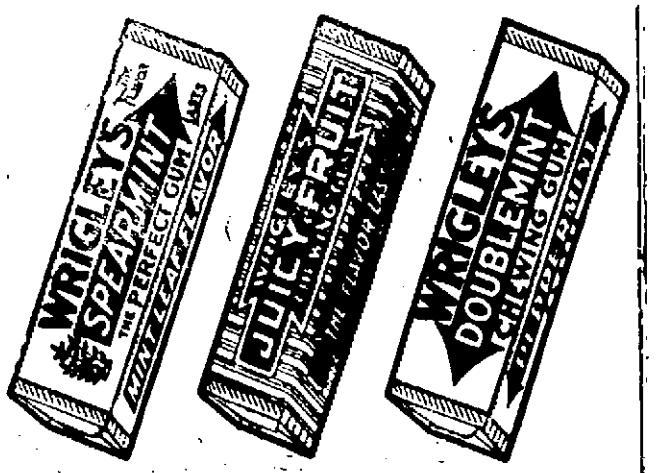
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EAST AND WEST

Haverhill High School Defeats Chicago Team

(Special to The Sun).
HAVERHILL, Dec. 8.—The football team of Englewood high school of Chicago attempted to match western style football against the eastern brand as exploited by Haverhill high in the stadium Saturday afternoon and came out second best by the score of 27 to 14.

Heralded as true exponents of the spectacular open game, the Chicago eleven was beaten at just this style of play and instead of Englewood being the aggressor, Haverhill took the reins and by a baffling program of wide ends, trick formations and clever rushes outshone the visitors at every turn. The pre-game dope received a jolt, for nobody believed that Haverhill would rise to such dizzy heights in this inter-sectional conflict and the outcome of the game shows conclusively that the shoe city lads are even better than their press agent painted them.

It was not a grueling battle of desperately fighting teams; there was no last ditch stand in the shadow of the goal posts to mark either eleven as a crowd of cameramen, nor was there any succession of line-tearing plays in which a fast driving back made a low charging forward line. In fact, the opposing lines were too strong to allow any such attack, so each quarter-back aimed his plays at the wings or

overhead and the result was a game of brilliant individual accomplishment, thrilling in the extreme and soul-debilitating for the 8000 spectators who filled every crack and cranny of the stadium stands.

As in all other games played by Haverhill this year, one man, Quarter-back Ed Parsons, stood out head and shoulders above his mates and opponents. Never, however, has this youthful star of 17 summers, shown with such brilliancy as on Saturday. Largely to him Haverhill can attribute her success. He was a high-geared terror on attack, a slippery, elusive lightning fast quarterback and his sweeping dashes up and down the field completely demoralized the Chicago eleven and left it weak and gasping after futile attempts to cut him down.

Twice in the opening period after Haverhill had recovered an Englewood fumble and converted it into a touchdown, his speed was terrific and no of 25 and 30 yards, but his crowning effort came scarcely two minutes after the second half had begun. Haverhill had the ball well inside her own territory and after one play had failed to gain, the brown line spread out to the left, leaving Parsons, standing alone five yards back of center. He took the ball on a direct pass and was off like a thunderbolt. He crossed the field at right angles to within a few yards on the sidelines, then swung sharply to the right and few straight down the field 75 yards for a touchdown. This speed was terrific and no Englewood player was able to get within ten yards of him at any time during the run.

Less than three minutes later this same dashing kid turned the other end for another score. Without a doubt he is the best threat back of the year in eastern elementary schools and Haverhill is to have his services for two more seasons as he is only a sophomore.

Whatever breaks there were in the game went to Haverhill. The easterners waited for the visitors to make mistakes and then never failed to take full advantage of them. Englewood looked apathetic at times. Its forward line was heavy, but did not charge, rather preferring to play high

in an attempt to diagnose the play than to crash through and smear it. It was a team of leisurely young gentlemen, which undoubtedly knew better football than it displayed.

Just once during the four quarters did Englewood give the fans a sample of western tactics and this taste left craving for more which was not to come. With the ball in his possession on his own 15 yard line, the Chicago quarterback, Foltz, unleashed two magnificent forward passes, which carried the leather exactly 35 yards and across the goal line. Each was a gem of purest ray serene and had the Haverhill defense smothered completely. Although Foltz tried similar passes during the fourth period, he could not make them go right. In fact, one of these aerial attempts toward the close of the game was intercepted by Downs. Haverhill left half, on Englewood's 25-yard line. Downs then shot through for a first down on the 25 and Parsons wiggled past the secondary defense as far as the 5-yard stripe. Two plunges by LeGacey scored the touchdowns.

After watching the game we could not help wondering what the Lowell eleven must have looked like on the day it held Haverhill to a 6-0 score. Conway said they fought like demons—they sure did, if they held this brown steamroller in check.

O.M.I. CADETS TO MEET TONIGHT

There will be an important meeting of the O.M.I. Cadets this evening at the armory in High street at 8 o'clock. Plans will be discussed for the anniversary celebration to be held Wednesday evening and Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O.M.I., the spiritual director, will be on hand. All former as well as present members of the Cadets are asked to be present. A brief calisthenic drill will precede the meeting.

INDIANS OF LOWELL LOST AT PROVIDENCE

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 8.—The Providence Steam Rollers stopped the Lowell Indians, 12 to 7, yesterday afternoon. It was the visitors' first defeat in nine games.

Liston scored in the first period when he recovered a fumble on the Rollers' 25-yard line and ran for a touchdown. Mahoney of the Rollers blocked a punt and made a touchdown in nine games.

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after a 15-yard run. The summary: Steam Rollers—Weeks 1c; Edwards 1c; Ayedlian, 1c; Mahoney, 1c; Kelly, 1c; Kelley, 1c; Braney, 1c; Weeks, 1c; Vreeland, 1c; Marley, 1c; Ryan, 1c; Young, 1c; Coughlin, 1c; Riley, 1c; Lamone, 1c; D. Coughlin, 1c; L. Lamone, 1c; Loucraft, 1c; Turner, 1c; McLean, 1c; Gleason, 1c.

Score Steam Rollers 12, Lowell Indians 7. Touchdowns: Mahoney, Vreeland, Liston. Goal from the touchdown: Turner, Referee, Haverhill, Umpire, Higgins, Field, Lamone, Feeney, Time, 12m, periods. Substitutes: Hughes for Lee, Fox for Edwards, Orr for Braney, Braney for Weeks, Mason for Flynn, Webster for Bailey, Lee for Hughes, Downie for Marley, Evans for Lamone, Morris for Evans.

AIRDALE LOST AND FOUND
A valuable airdale dog owned by E. P. Clough of 233 Ocean street, Lynn, was found roaming about the streets of this city this morning and was taken to the police station stable. Assistant Agent Gilmore of the Humane society was notified and he in turn informed the owner of the dog. It is not known how the dog happened to be lost in this city. The animal wore a collar bearing the inscription "E. P. Clough, 233 Ocean street, Lynn," and hence the identity of the owner.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The department of justice is confronted with "increasingly dangerous radical activities," Attorney General Palmer said in his annual report submitted today to congress.

Mr. Palmer did not go into details as to "red" activities in general, but said that of the total of 365,295 index record cards, 71,002 identified records and 262,712 fingerprint records now in the department, some 60,000 represented data concerning "reds" and their work. He mentioned that the department had increased steadily its contributory sources of investigation, adding that this meant better facilities for running down persons whose lives bore marks of crime.

Mr. Palmer said that while other government agencies during the past year were rounding out their labors incident to the war, his department found itself only half way through its scores of investigations and litigated questions. Countless hundreds of claims growing out of the war have been made against the government, he said, and must be fought through the courts. Cases in which the government seeks to recover funds paid out through error or fraud provide another source of supply for litigation. Alleged infringement of patent rights by the government in its manufacture of war materials, as well as similar claims arising from private manufacture of war supplies on the cost-plus arrangement, also puts litigation on shoulders of the department's staff.

The department policy of resuming prosecution of trusts has restored to activity other investigations and crime proving machinery, the attorney general added.

In addition to these, Mr. Palmer said, the department will be burdened for months to come with its prosecution of violators of the sedition and selective service acts. Under the latter, the number of cases runs high, he said. Department agents are engaged now in gathering all necessary data through records of local draft boards which have been assembled in Washington and prosecution of the cases will proceed immediately upon completion of that work.

Investigations and trial arguments during the war have shown loopholes in many statutes, Mr. Palmer said. He called attention to the fact that, under existing law, it is not a crime to send threatening letters through the mails unless in furtherance of a scheme to defraud or as a means of extortion. Pointing out that letters threatening personal injury or destruction of property may be sent with impunity, he urged revision of the law to cover such cases.

Mr. Palmer said also there was great need for statute providing punishment for an individual attempting to defraud the United States. Present statutes, he said, provide punishment only in the event that two or more persons conspire to defraud the government.

Recommendation also was made that criminal procedure be changed to make more simple the removal of indicted persons to the districts where the indictments were returned. He described the present system as "grievously defective," and as making removal proceedings "infinitely more cumbersome" than extradition.

The attorney general recommended creation of a pardon and parole board of three fully empowered to handle all pardon and parole cases thus relieving the attorney general's office of duties "which are becoming increasingly heavy and onerous." Jurisdiction of penal institutions also should be vested in this board, he said.

LAWRENCE BOY ARRESTED

Accused of several breaks in Andover and suspected of breaking and entering some camps in Tyngsboro recently, Arthur Berthelme, 16, of Lawrence, was arrested late Saturday by Patrolmen Hamilton and J. Sullivan. He was later returned to the Industrial school at Shirley, from which he had been paroled.

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SEEK INJUNCTION AGAINST NEW CHURCH

Michael J. Hussen, Louis Yearid, Michael and 12 other prominent members of the local Syrian community have filed a bill in equity with the superior court against George Hussen and nine other Syrians of this city and Albert P. Langtry, secretary of the commonwealth for an injunction against the issuing by the secretary of state to the other defendants of a certificate of incorporation under the name of St. George Syrian Orthodox church, and to prevent the defendants, except Langtry, from interfering with the use, by the society of the church at Fletcher and Bowers streets as a place of worship.

The petitioners allege that Michael Ansara, George Hussen, Najab Haycock and Louis Yearid hold the title to the church property in trust for the benefit of "a corporation to be organized under the laws of Massachusetts" and to be known as the "St. George Syrian Orthodox church." That the church has been paid for, altered and beautified with funds contributed by members of the society to which the plaintiffs belong, consisting on Nov. 30, last of 20 members. That on that date five of the defendants seceded from the society and together with the other defendants are now attempting to secure a certificate of incorporation under the name of St. George Syrian Orthodox church, in order to obtain control of the church property and to deprive the society of its church, taking advantage of the terms of the declaration of trust, which provide that the trustees shall hold the property for the benefit of a corporation to be organized under the name of St. George Syrian Orthodox church.

It is also alleged that the defendants have already applied for a certificate of incorporation under that name and an injunction is being sought against the secretary of the commonwealth from issuing a certificate of incorporation to the defendants. The bill was filed with Justice Raymond, who has issued a temporary injunction and has set Thursday, Dec. 11, as the date for a hearing to be held in Boston.

MEETING OF FRENCH SPEAKING VOTERS

Instead of talking politics as was expected, the French-speaking voters of this city at their annual meeting held yesterday afternoon at the C.M.A. C. hall in Pawtucket street, talked finances. There were about 300 voters present at the meeting, which was called to order at 2 o'clock by President Joseph Payette of the executive committee and not one seemed inclined to discuss politics. Of course there was a reason, for at the opening of the meeting the chairman announced that the use of the hall had been granted for the purpose of electing officers and nothing else.

In the course of the afternoon, a committee of five consisting of the following was appointed to bring in a list of candidates for the various positions on the executive committee: Joseph Provost, Onesime Tremblay, Arthur Genest, Telesphore Malo and Arthur Pelletier.

While these men were making their choice of candidates interesting remarks were made by L. J. Cornille, Dr. Rodrigue Mignault, L. P. Turcotte, David A. Parthenais, Maxime Lepine and others and all urged that a strong organization be formed and that financial backing be given the organization. A list of subscriptions was started and headed by subscriptions of \$50 from Rodrigue Mignault and Henry Achin, Jr., the list at the close of the meeting totalled \$258.23.

The election committee submitted a long list of candidates, but most of those whose names appeared on the list, declined the honor of election and finally the list was thinned down to the following, who were unanimously elected:

Onesime Tremblay, president; Tancred L. Blanchette, secretary; Ernest Verville, treasurer; Joseph A. Plante, William Vincent, Frank N. Dostaler and Charles Moge, directors. The new officers were inducted into office by Rep. Achin and the meeting was brought to a close.

WAMESIT LODGE

At a recent meeting of the members of Wamesit lodge, 25, K. of P., the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Chancellor commander, F. N. Gault; vice chancellor, Wm. H. McElroy; master of work, Abraham S. Goldman; prelate, Paul Plummer; keeper of records and seal, Clarence S. Thack; master of finance, Adelbert H. Abbott; master of exchequer, Alexis L. Fecteau; master at arms, Samuel Mottram; inner guard, Harry Johnson;

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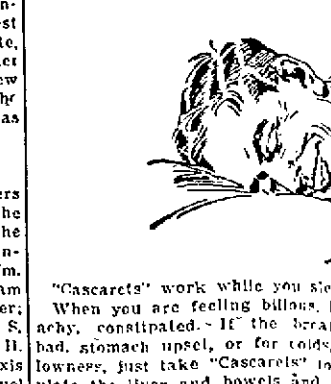
outer guard, George H. Rose; representative to grand lodge, Frank E. Wright; alternative representative of grand lodge, Anthony D. Mitten; trustee one year, Paul Plummer; trustee three years, William Ward.

TEACHING SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

New methods of teaching Sunday school classes were thoroughly discussed by local and out-of-town clergymen at the semi-annual conference of the Merrimack Valley Church School Union held at St. John's Episcopal church Saturday afternoon and evening. A large attendance was recorded and during the evening a splendid supper was served by the women of the church.

The list of speakers included Rev. William Appleton Lawrence of Lynn; Rev. John W. Suter, Jr., of Hyde Park; Rev. Arthur W. Moulton of Lawrence; Rev. Chester J. Armstrong of North Billerica; Rev. Walter E. Woodbury, pastor of the Warren Street Baptist church; Mrs. W. H. Daggett of North Billerica and Miss Ada Garner of Billerica.

It was voted to hold the next conference at All Saints' church, Methuen, next spring.



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ATTACHMENT FILED
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SEC. DANIELS' REPORT

Tells of Remarkable Progress of United States Navy During the War

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Incomparably stronger and more efficient than ever before, the American navy emerged from the world war "second only to that of Great Britain and far in advance of any other foreign navy in ships, in men, and every element of strength," Secretary Daniels declared yesterday in his annual report.

With 18 capital ships—12 super-dreadnaughts, and six giant battle cruisers under construction, all representing the last word in naval construction, and several superior to any fighting vessels now in commission, the navy is "pressing forward to greater things," Mr. Daniels said.

Recommendations by the secretary for the betterment of the service included:

Extension of the course at the Naval Academy to five years so the midshipmen may spend one year afloat as enlisted men.

Immediate enlargement of the naval establishment on the Pacific coast to take care of the new Pacific fleet.

Temporary increases in pay of officers and enlisted men and increases in amounts allowed for commutation of quarters and other allowances.

Government control of wireless communication.

Expansion of the naval air service and continuation of the present policy of a separate air service for the navy.

Construction of new buildings, including a new Memorial chapel at the Naval Academy.

Change the names of the bureaus of navigation and steam engineering to personnel and engineering bureau, respectively.

Mr. Daniels made no recommendations to an annual building program, explaining that the recommendations of the navy general board were under consideration and that estimates would be prepared soon for presentation to congress.

The actual cost of the navy to the nation during the war was placed by the secretary at \$2,985,000,000. During the next fiscal year, he said, the navy's needs will be approximately \$531,121,254, or approximately \$10,900,000 less than the sum asked for during the present fiscal year.

Commenting on the construction records during the war, the secretary said that during the 12 months ended last Oct. 1, 153 vessels of all classes were completed for the navy. These included 103 destroyers, one battleship, 32 submarines and 22 Eagle boats. A world record for destroyer construction was made, the secretary said, in the building of the Rejd at Siquanum, Mass. in 45 working days.

Discussing the proposed radical departure in the training of officers for the navy, Mr. Daniels declared that "no officer can command so well as the

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man of ability and knowledge, who knows every character of service from polishing brass to the highest strategy and tactics." He added that a year's training as an enlisted man would prove invaluable to every officer and that heretofore commissioned officers had no actual seagoing training in the duties of enlisted men except an incidental knowledge acquired during short summer cruises.

Mr. Daniels devoted much of his report to a review of the work of the navy during the war and in foreign waters since the signing of the armistice. He declared that the remarkable performance of the navy in transporting troops, particularly in bringing the army back to the United States, was the outstanding war-time achievement of the navy.

Regarding the enlargement of the Pacific coast bases, Mr. Daniels said he could not "too strongly urge that congress make a beginning in the development of shore bases, navy yards and air stations on the Pacific." Proper care of the vessels of the Pacific fleet, he added, makes such action vital.

The report paid high tribute to the services of naval reserve officers and men during and after the war "without whom," it said, "we could not have manned the ships and carried on the war." Secretary Daniels characterized the naval reserve force as an invaluable asset to the navy and urged that congress make ample provision for retaining and strengthening the organization.

Advocating temporary increases in pay of officers and enlisted men and increases in amounts allowed for commutation of quarters and other allowances, the report declared that high wages offered by the merchant marine and shore concerns were causing many officers and men in the navy to become dissatisfied and was resulting in an abnormal number of resignations.

The navy has been demobilized from a war-time strength of more than 500,000 officers and men to 122,000 of whom 5000 are reserves, the report said, and enlisted men are badly needed to man the greatly increased sea-going establishment.

High tribute was paid welfare organizations for close co-operation with the navy, and labor was eulogized for its patriotic response to the cry for increased and sustained production of war materials. Prominent naval officers, notably Admirals Sims, Denison, Mayo, Rodman and Wilson, Rear Admiral Knapp, who succeeded Admiral Sims in command abroad, and the officers who participated in the trans-Atlantic flight, received praise for exceptionally meritorious service. The value of the Naval War College, at Newport, R. I., was graphically demonstrated during the war, the report declared, adding that "the day will come



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The "Standard" grade priced for this week at.....\$3.50 Each

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\$1.00 Safety Razors reduced to 79c each for this week only.

The "Ever Ready" with 12 blades, for79c

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DURHAM DUPLEX DEMONSTRATOR RAZOR

A safety razor and blade.....10c

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Round / Fluted pattern. Two different pattern cuttings.

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Silver relish frames with handles. Relish dish of glass with three compartments. Bon Bon dish of glass. Priced at 98c Each

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Heavy grade, Colonial pattern, 7 quart size. Seamless cast tea kettles\$6.00

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Simmons Brand, set in rubber shaving brushes, each.....49c

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The "Model," clean, sanitary, seamless, self basting. Small size in steel. Priced \$1.19

Small size enameled. Priced \$1.98

Large size in steel. Priced \$1.69

Large size enameled. Priced \$2.49

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's Associate bldg Fire and Liability Insurance, Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

Sampson & Mordock Co. have finished their canvass for the 1920 Lowell directory. Any who fear they have been overlooked or have moved since Oct. 15, and believe their names have not been given, if they will send same with former and present addresses to G. C. Prince & Son, 106-108 Merrimack st, they will be forwarded to the publishers. Also all churches, associations or societies who have elected new officers, changed their time and place of meeting or otherwise changed; also all those who are about to change offices, etc., if on changing will immediately send in same it will help to make our list as correct as possible.

Dan O'Neill and F. Turcotte of Fall River and M. Lane of Taunton are visiting friends here after a two years' stay in France.

City Solicitor William D. Reagan, a past exalted ruler of the Lowell lodge of Elks, delivered the oration at the annual memorial exercises held last evening under the auspices of the Lawrence lodge of Elks.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Lowell Historical society will be held at its rooms in Memorial building on Wednesday evening of this week at 7.30 o'clock. Reports of officers and committees will be read and applications for membership, as approved by the executive committee, will be passed on. Rev. Wilson Waters will give an address on "Lowell Names in Early Ohio History." Members are free to invite friends.

ALUMINUM WARE SPECIALLY PRICED \$1.00

Paramount Brand of Pure Aluminum. 3 quart covered saucepans and cooking kettles. 4 quart uncovered saucepans and cooking kettles. Makes an ideal Christmas present. 4 pieces at \$1.00 costing\$4.00

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Best quality, highest grade National China Company Goods, Blue Bird and spray decoration on porcelain body. Set comprises: 6 each—dinner, soup and pie plate, sauce dishes, individual butters, cups and saucers, one covered dish, one uncovered dish, one covered sugar, one cream pitcher, one gravy boat, one platter. Service for six people.....\$12.00

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BERRY OR SAUCE SETS AND CAKE SETS

One large bowl and six small ones. 7 pieces. Priced \$1.98 per set up to \$5.98 per set

CELERY SETS

One large tray and six small salt dips, 7 pieces in all. Very special.....\$1.98 set

WHIPPED CREAM SETS

Plate, Bowl and Ladle decorated to match. Priced per set 98c

ICE CREAM AND SANDWICH SETS

One large tray and six plates. Seven pieces in all. Priced \$4.50, \$4.98 and \$5.98 set

NUT SETS

One large scalloped dish and six small dishes. Seven in all. Priced98c per set

Chocolate Sets

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JELLY JAR AND CONDENSED MILK JAR HOLDERS

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Jelly Sets, large dish and six small dishes. Set of seven pieces\$1.50

Cheese Dishes

Variety of decorations.....\$1.98

Bureau Sets.....\$2.50

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STEAMING HOT FOOD

MACARONI and CHEESE, Italian Style, lb.	25¢
SPAGHETTI, with tomato sauce and cheese, Italian style, lb.	20¢
HOT FISH CAKES	3 for 10¢
HOT BEEF STEW, lb.	15¢
POTTED BEEF WITH ONIONS, lb.	25¢
HOT LAMB STEW, lb.	15¢

— SPECIAL HOUR SALES —

8 to 9 a. m.

EGGS, fancy selected, doz.	51¢
2 to 3 p. m.	
UNEEDA, pkg.	5¢

FAIRBURN'S

12-14 MERRIMACK AND 15 BRIDGE
ON THE SQUARE

20 OF CREW OF LOST SHIP ARE MISSING

THE HAGUE, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Twenty members of the crew of the American steamer Liberty, which struck a mine off Terschelling last week, are still unaccounted for. The vessel broke in two after she had been beached on Ameland light. A Dutch lifeboat arrived in Terschelling Sunday with the captain, engineer and baker of the Liberty. They stuck to the ship when the other members of the crew took to the boats.

Twenty of the crew reached the island of Schiermonnikoog in two boats, but 20 others are still missing. One report indicates that half of the Liberty is stuck in the sand, while the other half is floating to sea.

SALE OF RED CROSS CHRISTMAS SEALS

Commencing today the Boy Scouts of Lowell council, B.S.A., will unite in a campaign to sell Red Cross Christmas seals for the Anti-Tuberculosis council. Scout Executive R. J. Ripley has perfected a working organization and is confident of a large and successful canvass and sale. All scouts will be armed with the familiar seals and those who sell a reasonable amount will earn a red and green service bar—the red signifying community or federal service and the green work accomplished in this particular campaign.

VERDICT OF \$600 IN ACTION OF TORT

A verdict in the sum of \$600 was returned this morning by the jury in the case of Mary A. Sawyer vs. Lucy A. Dennett, an action of tort, which went to trial at the civil session of the superior court last Friday.

The next case called to the attention of the court was a petition by Harriet A. Dana against the city of Lowell for an assessment of damages for her property in East Merrimack

Street. The petitioner claims that on June 12, 1919, the city acting by its Memorial building commission took her property by eminent domain and that as a result she is aggrieved in that she has not been awarded by the said commission nor paid by the said city the actual damages she has sustained, but has been offered a sum much less than the damages she has sustained and she, and the city are unable to agree upon the damages.

The jury was empaneled and took a view of the premises. Later it was agreed by both counsel that the property was owned by the petitioner and that the city took it by eminent domain and the jurors were informed that their duties were to assess the damages, basing their judgment on experts who would testify.

BRITISH PROFESSOR SOLVES RIDDLE OF TRANSMUTATION OF MATTER

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Sir Ernest Rutherford, since 1907 Langworthy professor and director of physical laboratories at the University of Manchester, England, has solved the riddle of transmutation of matter, the secret sought by the ancient alchemists, according to the Matin.

Sir Ernest Rutherford is one of the best known physicists in the world, holding degrees from upwards of a dozen universities in the old and new worlds, and having received medals of honor from a number of institutions of higher learning. Sir Ernest has devoted much attention in recent years to radio activity and has written a number of books on the phenomena of radio active substances and their radiations.

PRIZE DANCING CONTEST
Tomorrow night in Associate hall the champion dancer of Merrimack Valley will be crowned and in addition to winning the title a prize of \$100 will be presented. This will mark the final event in the big \$200 prize dancing contest, which has been in progress for three weeks. It has brought together some of the leading dancers in this section, and all the

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Superior Court.

PETITION FOR ANNULLMENT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, to be held at Cambridge, Middlesex, within and for the County of Middlesex.

Respectfully: I, Iphigene, do hereby certify that I, Iphigene, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, do hereby certify that on or about July 25th, A.D. 1919, I was married in form of law but not in legal effect, to Belva Durr, alias Belva Welby, now of Wilmington, Delaware. The said Belva represented herself as an unmarried woman. That after said ceremony my libellant and the libellee lived together as husband and wife, at Lowell, from on or about July 25th, A.D. 1919, to or about September 25, 1919, after which my libellant learned for the first time that at the time of said pretended marriage said Belva Durr had a former husband living, to wit, one Chester Welby, to whom she was lawfully married, and that said marriage was still in force the day of her alleged marriage to my libellant. That your libellant upon learning of said prior marriage, at once ceased to cohabit with said Belva Durr, and has lived separate and apart from her ever since.

Wherefore your libellant prays that said pretended marriage may be declared null and void.

Dated the eighteenth day of November, A.D. 1919.

JOSEPH H. PLAISANCE, Libellant.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss.

Superior Court, Nov. 28 A.D. 1919.

Upon the foregoing libel for nullity it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1920, to answer an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel for nullity and of the order thereon.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of John E. Foster, late of Tewksbury, in said County, deceased: Whereas, John E. Foster and Howard W. Foster, the executors of the will of said deceased, have presented for allowance, the second account of their administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County, on the sixteenth day of December, A.D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executors are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntyre, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

P. M. ESTY, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of William Henry Henderson of Lowell in said County, has presented to said Court, a petition praying that his name may be changed to that of Charles Henry Westworth for the reasons therein set forth:

All persons are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell in said County, on the sixteenth day of December, A.D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntyre, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

P. M. ESTY, Register.

Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 550 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1908, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 491 of the Acts of 1919, and Chapter 171 of the Acts of 1920, notice is hereby given that Book No. 2123 of the Washington Savings Institution is lost or destroyed; payment has been stopped, and application has been made for payment of the amount.

preliminary events have been marked with success.

There will be three prizes distributed tomorrow night, \$100 to the couple winning the championship, \$50 to the couple finishing second, and \$25 to the team coming in third. Among those who have won places and will compete tomorrow are the following gentlemen and their partners: Messrs. Burdette of Haverhill, Mangan, Mahoney, Wayne, Jones, Monahan, Pano and McCabe of Lowell.

MEN!

ARE YOU CONTENT WITH YOUR PRESENT EARNING POWER? IF NOT, WHY NOT? IF YOU WANT THE CHANCE TO MAKE MONEY, JUST AVERAGE MEN OF AVERAGE ABILITY AND INTELLIGENCE—TO ASSOCIATE WITH OTHER BUSINESS MEN AND PUT THEMSELVES FOR EXECUTIVE POSITIONS IN OUR RAPIDLY EXPANDING COMMERCIAL ORGANIZATION. SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE OF OUR FIELD IS NOT ESSENTIAL. A GOOD PERSONALITY AND ABILITY TO LEARN QUICKLY ARE REQUIRED. HOWEVER, WHILE IT IS WITHIN YOUR REACH, APPLY NOW. SEN. BLDG. MERRIMACK ST. AFTER 10.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Catherine Maloney also called Kate Maloney, Kate Maloney and Kate Maloney, in said County, an insane person:

Whereas, Nathaniel B. Coady, administrator of the estate of John J. Coady who was her husband, has presented for allowance, the eighth and final account of said John J. Coady as guardian upon the estate of said Kate Maloney:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-second day of December, A.D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntyre, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of May H. Connolly, late of Lowell in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by said May H. Connolly, late of Lowell in said County, deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County, on the sixteenth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said administrator is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntyre, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Catherine Maloney, also called Kate Maloney, Kate Maloney and Kate Maloney, in said County, an insane person:

Whereas, Clarence L. Newton, the guardian of said ward, has presented for allowance, his account as guardian upon the estate of said ward:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-second day of December, A.D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said guardian is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntyre, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in any of the said estates of Martha A. Barrett, late of Tewksbury, in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, William Myers of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, has presented to said Court a petition, representing that he as the husband of said deceased is interested in the estate of said deceased, and praying that the combined value of the real and personal property of the deceased remaining after payment of her debts and charges of her last illness and funeral, and of the settlement of her estate, does not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars and praying that the combined value of said real and personal property may be determined by said Court as provided by law:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of December, A.D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntyre, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

P. M. ESTY, Register.

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Transportation advanced by company free if stay 40 days. Board and lodging \$5.00 week. Open shop conditions. All men must have baggage. For particulars inquire National Labor Agency, Saturday, between 3 and 5 o'clock at 515 Middlesex Street.

COTTON WEAVERS, ring spinners, speeder tenders; meet superintendent at Lowell, Middlesex Service Bureau, 335 Middlesex St.

WOMEN wanted for worsted mill doers, cap spinners, ring twisters, speeder tenders; meet superintendent at Lowell, Middlesex Service Bureau, 335 Middlesex St.

MEN, 18 up, wanted immediately, Railway mail clerks. Commence \$1300. Vacancy list free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 160 V, Rochester, N. Y.

SECOND MAID wanted. Experience and reference necessary. Tel. 631, Lawrence.

ELDERLY WOMAN wanted to take care of children. Inquire 167 Warren St. Call after 6 p. m.

BUSINESSMAN wanted. Apply to Mr. White, Putnam & Son Co.

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WANTED

Two first-class meat cutters; two experienced market men. Also two good grocery clerks. To be ready for work in about a week.

DEPOT CASH MARKET

357 Middlesex St.

FIRST-CLASS FORM CARPENTERS WANTED AT ONCE

Immediate work. Start 7 a. m. Dec. 8th. Steady employment until March, 1920, for competent men. \$80 per hour. 9 hours per week (week days). Double time for the last hour each day. Saturday morning, 5 hours with double time for the last hour. Apply at once. 246 Broadway, Lowell, Mass., or Tel. 1412.

CHAMBERNAID wanted. Call at 57 Lawrence St. 5 to 8 p. m., city.

WAPRISSES, local and put of town, kitchen women, married couple wanted for farm. Middlesex Service Bureau, 335 Middlesex St.

HELP WANTED

GRILLS wanted to learn whirling, turning, carpet setting, \$15 to start; experienced help earn more. About 30 miles from Lowell. Middlesex Service Bureau, 335 Middlesex St.

STEADY MAN wanted to drive laundry wagon. Apply Merrimack Laundry, 335 Dutton St.

WILL THE GENTLEMAN who took the wrong shoe from the shoe store, Shoe Fix on Chelmsford St. please return it to 181 Chelmsford St.

SPECIAL NOTICE

ROOMS PAINTED, \$2.75. Everything furnished. 11 J. McCarthy, 641 Broadway.

BOOKS, paper novels, Victor and Columbia records, player rolls wanted at Merritt's, 277 Middlesex St.

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ST. PATRICK'S ACADEMY ALUMNI DINNER

The committee in charge of the annual dinner of St. Patrick's Academy Alumni association met yesterday and advanced plans for the event on Tuesday, Dec. 30. There was a large attendance and there were many indications that this year's affair would be one of the most successful in years. James J. McManmon will be toastmaster at the post-prandial exercises and the speakers will be Rev. Augustino F. Hickey, D.D., of Boston, supervisor of the parochial schools; Rev. P. Francis Curry, O.M.I., of Washington, D. C., a graduate of the school with the class of 1905, and Rev. Brother Osmund, former superior of the school. There are other features planned for the committee. As has been the case in previous years, James Flannery and John F. Golden have been two of the hardest workers for the success of the affair and they have surrounded themselves with a most competent committee.

"SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL" ABLY PRESENTED

Members of the Lowell College club maintained their high reputations as producers of amateur theatricals on Saturday when matinee and evening performances of Sheridan's "School for Scandal" were given before large audiences in Colonial hall. It may easily be said that this production stands as the most thoroughly successful venture yet attempted by the versatile club women, and this, in face of two other appearances on a local stage when "She Stoops to Conquer" and "The Rivals" were given with splendid results. Truthful portrayal of character marked the production throughout and the two audiences were eager to give proof of their appreciation. It would not be fair in the least to single out any one member of the fairly large cast for particular commendation. Each read into her lines an entirely adequate realization of the demands placed upon her and this splendid interpretation made both performances thoroughly refreshing from the amateur standpoint. The work of the cast was a happy encomium upon the coaching of Miss Morgan who had the training of the actors in charge.

The cast was as follows:

Sir Peter Teazle.....Miss Jennie L. Allen
Sir Oliver Surface.....Miss Ruth L. Sawyer
Sir Benj. Backbite.....Miss E. A. Owens
Sir Harry Bumper.....Miss H. E. M. Murphy
Mrs. Harriet C. Spaulding.....Miss E. H. Harrigan
Charles Surface.....Miss E. H. Harrigan
Crabtree.....Miss Julia W. Stevens
Rowley.....Miss E. E. Lawrence
Carleson.....Miss E. E. Lawrence
Moses.....Miss A. C. Church
Trip.....Miss H. E. M. Murphy
Snake.....Miss Elizabeth Irish
Sir Peter's Servant.....Miss M. Ballou
Joseph's servant.....Miss L. A. McManmon
Lady Sneerwell.....Miss Alice Jones
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Mrs. Candour.....Mrs. Katherine O. Murphy
Mrs. Maria.....Miss Mary G. Stevens
Sir Peter's Servant.....Miss Estelle Moors
Lady Sneerwell's maid.....Mrs. Sarah T. MacBrayne
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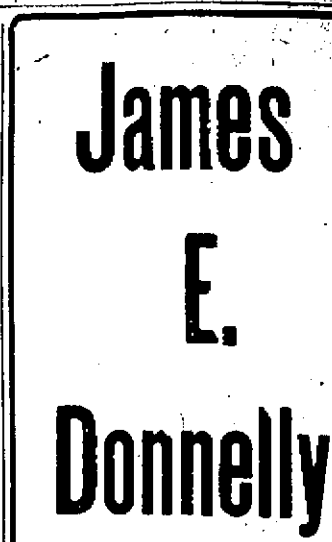
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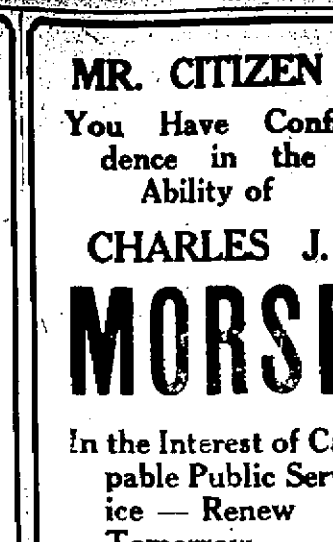
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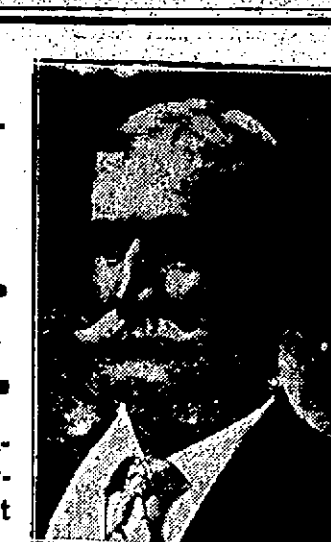
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